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PRESIDENT ENDORSES WORK OF COLORED Y. M. C. A. IN CAPITAL

EXECUTIVE MAKES POWERFUL SPEECH

REVIEWS HISTORY OF COLORED ORGANIZATION

MUCH GOOD HAS BEEN DONE

LAST TWENTY YEARS HAVE SHOWN PROGRESS

Opportunity Unfolded Before Colored Youth in Glowing Way By the President

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—President Roosevelt was the principal speaker at the ceremonies attending the laying of the corner stone of the Colored Young Men's Christian association's new building in this city today. He said:

The President's Speech.

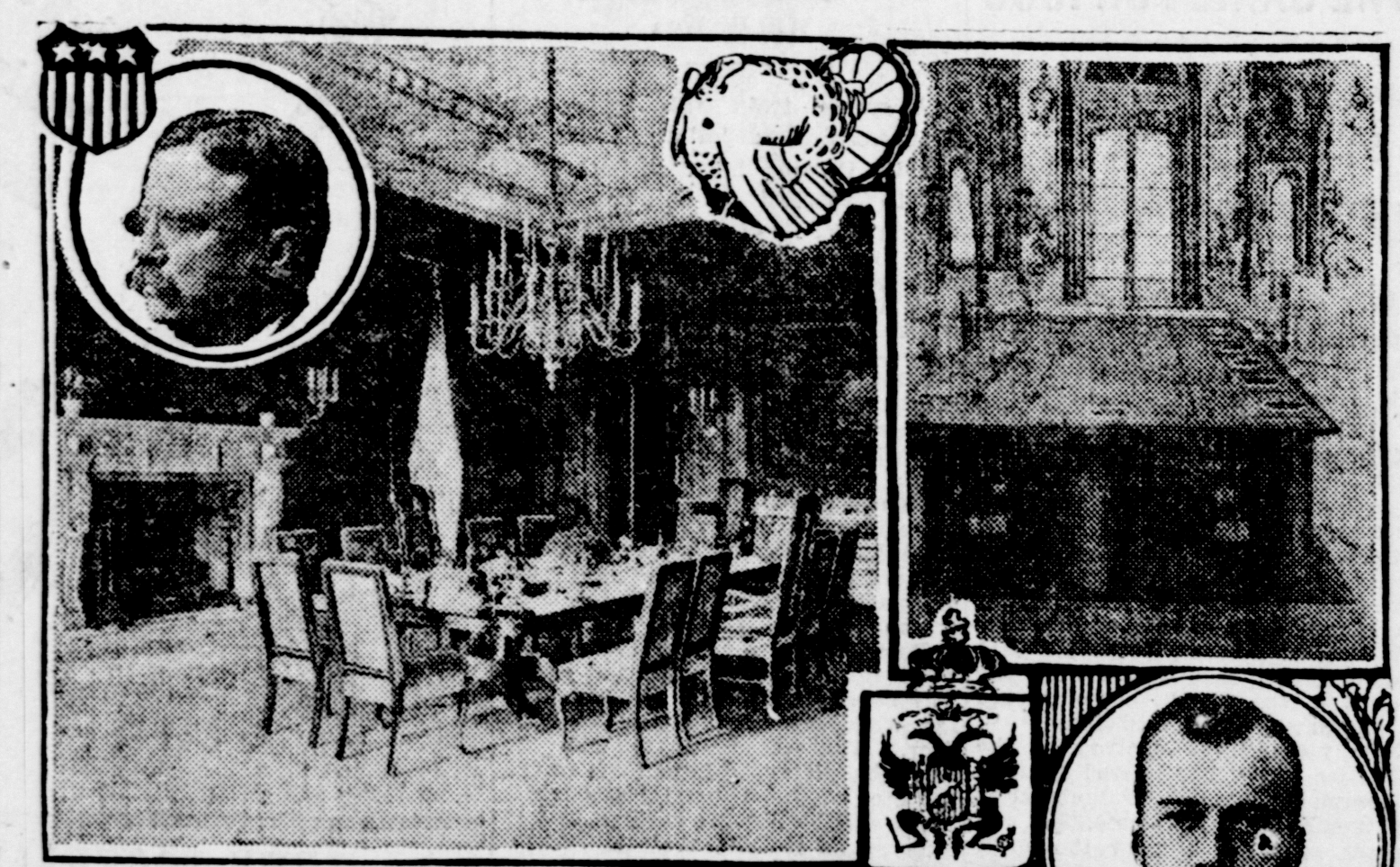
"It is to me a matter of peculiar pleasure to be present on this occasion, at the laying of the corner stone of the building for the Colored Young Men's Christian association of Washington. The Y. M. C. A. has worked among colored men for less than thirty years. For a number of reasons, for some time after the work was begun, very little progress was made; indeed at first, curiously enough, the churches tended to antagonize the Y. M. C. A. But during the last twenty years the Y. M. C. A. work among our colored fellow citizens has proceeded rapidly, and these are the very twenty years in which the colored race in America has made most progress. The religious people, those standing highest in the colored churches, now appreciate, as they failed to appreciate a quarter of a century ago, that innocent sports and amusements should be encouraged, and that the poorest lesson to be taught to any men of any race is that pleasure and vice are synonymous terms. The bowling alleys, the swimming pools, and gymnasiums of the Y. M. C. A. buildings are adjuncts of a very important kind to the effort for the moral and religious uplift with which the Y. M. C. A. movement has always been identified. Moreover, the Y. M. C. A. reaches both the classes that are reached by the churches and the classes that the churches fail to reach. Such a building as this will be open every day and every evening. It brings in men of many different types, for it appeals to many different sides of human nature. Already the colored Y. M. C. A. has a membership in this country of nearly 10,000, 5,000 belonging to the 37 city associations, and 5,000 to the student organizations. Of the 20,000 dollars spent last year for the current expenses of the 37 city associations, three-fourths was paid by colored men. It is noteworthy that of the 10,000 colored men attending the colored colleges of this country, half are active members of the Y. M. C. A. This speaks well for the spirit of these colleges, and gives us hope and encouragement for the character of the leaders of the colored race in the future. Over 4,600 volumes were circulated last year from the as yet limited number of colored Y. M. C. A. libraries.

A Profitable Field for the Work.

"No city in the country presents a better or wider field for useful Y. M. C. A. work than among the colored people than Washington. Here we have more than 20,000 colored men, who have, unfortunately, but few safe places to which to go for innocent amusement. Hundreds of young colored men are every year being lured away from the habit of decent living because they are not supplied with the chance to go where innocent and healthy amusements are provided in surroundings that encourage education and morality. I can not too heartily commend the action of those colored men who are responsible for starting this building. When completed it will be a tribute to the advancement of the colored race; and also a monument to the advancement of the city of Washington. It will be a model for the entire country; it will influence other cities; and it affords an excellent opportunity for both white and colored men to join in the work of uplifting a class that sorely needs aid. The colored man who builds his city earns the right to the respect of his white neighbor, and benefits himself in a double way. I hope that the colored men will contribute freely toward this building, and I hope that their white friends will help them also. Such a building as this means the improvement in morality, in Christianity, in education, of the colored citizens of Washington; and therefore it concerns not only the colored people of Washington, but

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WHERE PRES. ROOSEVELT AND CZAR OF RUSSIA RESPECTIVELY WILL EAT DINNER



While it is an accepted fact that the czar of Russia would like to "eat Turkey" (the country) it is also true he greatly enjoys the fowl.

President Roosevelt is today eating his Thanksgiving dinner in the White house in his private dining room and has gathered around him the members of his family. His dining room is much the same type as other American dining rooms, not as elaborate as many of the wealthy class, although beautiful in its appointments.

The czar of Russia will eat at one of the most unique tables in the world. It is not generally known that for centuries the disappearing table and disappearing plates have been in use in Russia and other foreign countries with great success. Formerly the entire table disappeared through the floor into the kitchen and was there fitted up with the next course and again raised. But this was too cumbersome and the genius of the Russian mechanic perfected the system now employed, which has a tube, the diameter of a little greater than the plate, and in this tube is a dummy waiter, which sinks down into the kitchen and there the plate for the next course is put on. In this way no servants are necessary in the room itself and it is considered much safer for the czar and much more convenient.

LAMPHERE'S FATE IN JURY'S HANDS

DEATH SENTENCE MIGHT FOLLOW LOW JURY'S VERDICT

SEVERAL FATES POSSIBLE

Attorney for Alleged Gunner Slayer Wants Death Penalty or a Complete Acquittal

LAPORTE, Ind., Nov. 26.—The fate of Ray Lamphere, accused of murdering Belle Guinness, rests with a jury of twelve of his peers. At 5:30 o'clock last evening Judge Richter completed the reading of his instructions and the last chapter, save one, of the present trial came to a close.

Six forms of verdicts were placed in the hands of the jury, so that upon reaching an agreement the proper one may be signed and returned to the court. The forms are as follows:

Guilty of murder in the first degree—Death.

Guilty of murder in the first degree—Life sentence.

Guilty of murder in the second degree—Life sentence.

Guilty of manslaughter—Two to twenty-one years.

Guilty of arson—Two to twenty-one years.

Not guilty.

The entire day was consumed with the arguments of the attorneys. Attorney Sutherland, for the state, opened and was followed by Attorney E. E. Weir, for the defense. Attorney Worden closed for the defense and then the final plea was made by State's Attorney Smith.

Addressing the jury, E. E. Weir, counsel for Lamphere, said:

"Gentlemen, if you find from the facts presented in the case that Lamphere is guilty of setting fire to the Guinness house and killing the occupants, I want you to order him hanged until dead. I want you to free him if you have any doubt. We want no compromise. He is either guilty or not guilty, and he is not guilty where there is any reasonable doubt. I will argue the evidence and convince you that our client is innocent."

The jury, after sleeping from 11 o'clock last night at the order of the judge, is deliberating today on the evidence submitted. They breakfasted early and were then sent to the jury room where they were locked up for the morning's consideration of the case. It is rumored one ballot has already been taken which shows no difference from the four said to have been taken last night. It is feared that the jury may get in a deadlock. It was hoped at first they would complete the case before Thanksgiving day. Lamphere had prepared to go home for Thanksgiving dinner, and confidently expected to be released. He made arrangements to go before the trial began. Today he is eating Thanksgiving dinner in jail. He is very much downcast over the occurrence, and considers it an ill omen of the result of the trial. A few visitors cheered him while waiting to hear the verdict. He is extremely nervous.

AGED MAN LEFT BY ROAD TO DIE

TOO WEAK TO TALK, HE IS TAKEN FOR DRUNK

WINONA SHERIFF NOTIFIED

Calls for Drunks Common with Him So Neglected to Go to Scene Until Man Passed Away

WINONA, Minn., Nov. 26.—Lying by the roadside, exhausted from lack of food and exposure to the chill November rains, too weak to make known his wants, Elissa Bundy, an aged man residing at Winona, was allowed to die yesterday while men reported him as "a drunk."

The old man was discovered by men lying by the road side trying to eat grass. When questioned his answers were incoherent and unintelligible and he was taken to be a drunk. Sheriff Parr of Winona was notified that a drunken man was lying by the roadside on the Minnesota City road but did not receive the call personally. Later he was notified but paid no particular attention to the complaint.

It was in the evening that a second message came in by telephone that a man beside the track had died. Sheriff Parr got this message himself and he and Coroner John Steinbach at once went out to investigate.

HAYTIAN REBELLION SPREADS RAPIDLY

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Nov. 26.—Advices from Hayti state that the revolutionary movement is spreading, and all foreigners have left the southern portion where fighting is in progress. Up to the present time no disorder has occurred in Port au Prince, but it is admitted that unless the governmental forces gain substantial advantage in the near future there may be trouble there. The popularity of President Alexis has been on the wane for nearly a year, and many merchants in his capital would rejoice at his downfall.

DORANDO HAPPY, HAYES VERY TIRED

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—Dorando Petri and Johnny Hayes are the most tried men in America on Thanksgiving. Dorando, who won from Hayes in the Marathon race at Madison Square last night, is happy and his antagonist is "all in."

FUNERAL OF MISS NEVINS

The body of Miss Fanny Nevins, who died recently at a sanatorium at Asheville, N. C., arrived here this morning from New York, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Andrew Nevins. The remains were taken to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Harry Kincaid, where a few of her old friends were gathered to accompany them to the cemetery. The services at the grave were conducted by Rev. C. N. Moller, rector of Christ church. The pall bearers were Messrs. L. C. Colman, J. M. Hixon, F. H. Hankerson, E. M. Wing, Orlando Holway and S. W. Anderson.

AUSTRIA HAS NEW WARLIKE AFFAIR

WILL SEVER DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH TURKEY

ITALIAN WORRY IS GREATER

Rome's Assault on Austrian Embassy Rouses Austrian People to Anger

VIENNA, Nov. 26.—Unless turkey withdraws its boycott on Austrian goods within six days, diplomatic relations between the two countries will be severed. This ultimatum was served on the Port unofficially, but it is officially announced that the Austrian ambassador at Constantinople will be recalled Dec. 2, while the successor has been selected will not proceed to the Turkish capital unless the boycott has been removed. Austria is watching closely the developments in Italy. Attacks on the Austrian embassy at Rome and the burning of the Austrian flag at several points in the Italian kingdom have stirred the Austrian people more than the Turkish-Servian difficulty.

It is admitted in official quarters that Emperor Franz Josef has already permitted the heir to the throne, Archduke Franz Ferdinand, to share his power, and that the crown prince is dictating the Balkan policy.

MR. ROOSEVELT IS CONTENT TO WORK

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—President Roosevelt in his office at the Whitehouse gave what may be considered his valedictory. The president said:

"When the people of the country are asking the question, 'What shall we do for our ex-presidents?' tell them that they need do nothing for this ex-president. He is going out to work and to do for himself."

"I have had a first-class time as president of the United States, and I have enjoyed every minute of the time I have been in the Whitehouse. When I have finished the last stroke I am going contentedly to work."

This statement came from the president after the close of a talk with friends with whom he had been discussing his forthcoming African trip.

PARSONAGE IS BLESSED TODAY

Rev. Father N. Rapp today officiated at the blessing and dedication of the handsome new parsonage of the St. Wenceslaus church, of which Rev. X. Till is pastor. The parsonage is of beautiful and substantial design. Children carried the cross from the old parsonage to the new one. Masses were said at 7 and 8 o'clock and high mass at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Francis Kopecky of Waterloo, Ia., and Rev. Fr. F. Aloisius Kolar of Winona will deliver the sermon.

MARQUETTE-NOTRE DAME GAME BIGGEST THANKSGIVING BATTLE

FARMER PROBABLY MURDERED ON WAY HOME FROM AUSTIN

MARKETED HOGS AND STARTED TOWARD HIS FARM

TEAM FOUND BY A NEIGHBOR

WANDERED INTO FARMYARD ALONE LATER

MASK AND BILLY ARE FOUND

Sheriff and Police Believe John Bailey Was Murdered for His Money Out of Austin

AUSTIN, Minn., Nov. 26.—(Special.)—After marketing a load of hogs at Hornel's packing house last night about 5 o'clock, John Bailey, a farmer living two miles north of Hayward, Minn., is believed to have been murdered for what he got for the hogs, while driving home. The sheriff and police have found a mask and billy together with Bailey's cap and a blanket from his rig, on the road over which he passed. The team he drove wandered into the farm yard of a man named Carter between 6 and 7 o'clock.

The authorities have reason to believe Bailey was followed into the country by persons who were aware he had a sum of money with him, and that when he showed fight he was murdered and his body secreted.

GIRL'S SLAYER GETS QUICK SENTENCE

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—After 33 minutes to impanel the jury, three hours for trial, 39 minutes to reach a verdict and 10 minutes for sentence, John Mentessana went to jail at Newark, N. J., condemned to die in the electric chair the first week in January for the murder of 14-year-old Edith Pickett, with whom he was madly in love. The defense tried to show a suicide pact, but this was offset by the introduction of Mentessana's diary which showed the man's intention to kill the girl and then commit suicide.

SARDINIA'S KNOWN DEAD 128; MISSING 56

VALETTA, Isle of Malta, Nov. 26.—Rescue parties made up of marines and sailors are endeavoring to board the still smoking wreck of the liner Sardinia, in order to definitely determine the number of deaths. Fifty-six are still missing and are believed to be dead in the wreckage. The death list, not counting the missing, includes 18 of the crew, one European and 64 Moors.

PREDICTS CHILDLESS WORLD

ITACA, N. Y., Nov. 26.—That there will be no children left if present race suicide tendencies continue during the next century throughout the civilized world was a prediction made by Prof. Walter P. Wilcox before the class in sanitary science and public health at Cornell university.

"The true reason for the fall in the birth rate," he said, "is that in modern times, mainly in the last half century, births and birth rate have come under the control of human will and choice in a sense and to a degree never before true."

"This power to control increase has been used and is being used today with reference to private economic advantage and far too little with due consideration to social welfare and progress."

MISS OTIS GOES FREE

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—After a defense had been made for her that she suffered from "moral anaesthesia," a deadening of the moral perceptions, Mae L. Otis, Mauston, Wis., charged with attempting to plot the murder of her mother today was dismissed by Municipal Judge Gemmill. The court held that there was no statute covering the offense and that no crime was committed.

MARRIED TODAY

La Force Terhune and Hazel Lillas of Viroqua, were married happily by Justice Hunt this morning and went on their way full of Thanksgiving and turkey.

CHAMPIONSHIP IS ALREADY DECIDED

MILWAUKEE SCHOOL HELD MICHIGANERS DOWN

SHOWS SURPRISING STRENGTH

Smaller Universities Engage in Final Struggles; Easterners Join in Thanksgiving Frays

The western gridiron will not be the scene of many big battles today. The championship has been decided and all that remains is to settle the rivalries between smaller schools.

Marquette vs. Notre Dame is the only big game today and considerable interest has been aroused over the game. Marquette has a surprisingly strong team this year, holding Wisconsin 9 to 6 and tying Illinois 6 to 6. Notre Dame on the other hand always has a good team and this year is no exception. In the early part of the season she held Michigan to 12 to 0, outplaying them in the early part of the game. Taking past performances into consideration the game will be a fast and exciting one. It will afford the only chance for comparison of Michigan with the other western teams.

Today's Games in West.

Marquette vs. Notre Dame at Milwaukee.

Oconomowoc vs. Juneau at Oconomowoc.

Oshkosh vs. Fort Atkinson at Ripon.

Carlisle Indians vs. St. Louis university at St. Louis.

Carroll college vs. DePaul at Chicago.

St. Viators vs. St. Ignatius at Chicago.

Drake vs. Ames at Des Moines.

Nebraska vs. Wabash at Lincoln.

Missouri vs. Kansas at Kansas City.

Oklahoma vs. Washburn college at Topeka.

Haskell Indians vs. Creighton at Omaha.

Knox vs. Lombard at Galesburg, Ill.

South Dakota vs. Morningside at Sioux City.

Kansas Agricultural vs. Colorado Agricultural at Manhattan, Kan.

Huron college vs. South Dakota at Huron, S. D.

Kansas Normal vs. Missouri Normal at Emporia, Kan.

Ohio vs. Kenyon at Columbus.

Case vs. Western Reserve at Cleveland.

Miami vs. Kentucky at Lexington.

Denver vs. Colorado at Colorado Springs.

Davidson vs. Virginia Military at Lynchburg, Va.

Georgetown vs. Washington and Leo at Washington, D. C.

Eastern Games.

Pennsylvania vs. Cornell at Philadelphia.

Princeton vs. Stevens, at Hoboken.

Dickinson vs. Lafayette at Easton, Pa.

Gettysburg vs. Franklin and Marshall at Lancaster, Pa.

Pennsylvania State vs. W. U. P. at Pittsburg.

Games in South.

Vanderbilt vs. Sewanee at Nashville.

South Carolina vs. Citadel at Charleston, S. C.

Georgia vs. Auburn at Montgomery, Ala.

Clemson College vs. Georgia Tech. at Atlanta, Ga.

Texas vs. Texas A. & M. at Austin.

William and Mary vs. Hampden Sidney at Newport News, Va.

Mercer University vs. Howard College at Macon, Ga.

Alabama vs. Tennessee at Birmingham.

North Carolina vs. Virginia at Richmond.

Louisiana vs. Arkansas at Little Rock, Ark.

Washington vs. Tulane at New Orleans.

OUR SAILORS ENJOY THANKSGIVING FETE

MANILA, Nov. 26.—This is a joyous Thanksgiving for the men on the fleet of battleships. While but a small portion of the force is able to go ashore, there are real "doins" aboard the ships. Elaborate meals are being served, followed by the usual sports. Eighty special conduct sailors were landed from each battleship and massed on the pier. They were greeted by the governor general. The sailors were permitted to attend the theaters free, and the decorations in the city are elaborate.

DO YOU GET UP

WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are Home of Swamp-Root, sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Sports of all Sorts

INJUNCTION REFUSED
BOUT IS SURE GOPAPKE-KETCHEL FIGHT WILL
COME OFF AT COLMA

PAPKE IS 2 TO 1 FAVORITE

Both Men are in Fine Shape for Battle and Hard Fight is
Looked For

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—Papke and Ketchel will meet, in spite of opposition, in Jimmie Coffroth's arena at Colma, Thanksgiving afternoon. This was assured yesterday when the application by Promoter Gleason for an injunction prohibiting the bout was denied by Judge Sewell.

In denying Gleason's application the court held that an injunction could not be issued for the purpose of restraining any person from the performance of manual labor or personal services and that the code lays down an absolute rule that the court cannot reclaim a breach of contract the performance of which the court cannot enforce.

This news was received with joy by the followers of the game here, but all realize that Gleason is not likely to quit his war and that, as a result, some climax may come which will be hurtful to the game. With the session of the legislature fast approaching, it is regarded as untimely that the men should come to a clash.

There was a stay in betting, pending the duration of the temporary injunction, issued when Gleason first made his appeal for a restraining order, but some brisk wagering in small amounts started today. In Tom Corbett's poolroom quite a volume of money was placed, and indications are that Papke will not be the overwhelming favorite at first expected.

Bets of 2 to 1 were freely given and taken soon after the Ketchel bout at Los Angeles. But now that the men are on the eve of another battle it seems as if Papke's favoritism will be by a very slight margin. Odds of 2 to 1 against Ketchel were invariably asked for today and as invariably refused, it seems as if Papke may only be a 6 to 5 or 11 to 10 choice.

Those who saw the decisive manner in which Papke beat Ketchel at Los Angeles were willing to take 1 to 2 on Papke at that time, thinking the odds would fall still further. But the San Francisco delegation, who only witnessed Ketchel in his string of striking victories here, are inclined to believe that Papke's victory may have been contributed to by Ketchel's easy mode of life.

BILLIARD SCORES.

Wednesday night's results of the La Crosse club billiard tournament:

Class A.
Edwards 105, won 105; Burns 90, got 75.
Hickish 90, won 90; Evans 85, got 72.
Hankerson 150, won 150; Utermoehl 115, got 90.
Burns 90, won 90; Holbeck 130, got 115.
Hickish 90, won 90; Utermoehl

FOOTBALL RULES
THE SAME FOR 1908STAGG SAYS THAT THERE WILL
BE NO CHANGES

THIS YEAR HIGH WATER POINT

Midway Coach Thinks This Year
Greatest in History of Game in
This Country

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—That the 1908 football rules will be allowed to stand without a single appreciable change by the gridiron solons at the meeting of the rules committee soon to be held in New York was the statement made by Coach A. A. Stagg of the University of Chicago.

The maroon director predicted that practically no modifications in the present status of the game would be recommended or considered. New football, as evolved in the last three years, has proved its case so completely that it is doubtful if any member of the committee will suggest anything beyond the most insignificant changes, according to Stagg, who characterizes 1908 football as "the high water point of the sport since the introduction of Rugby into this country."

Notices for the New York meeting have not yet been sent out, but the gathering will be called in the near future. Stagg will consult on the rules with several eastern officials this week while he is in the East on a tour of inspection. He left this morning for New York, and while gone will visit Yale and Harvard, in addition to seeing today's Pennsylvania-Cornell game at Philadelphia and Saturday's Army-Navy contest in the Quaker City.

EXCURSION RATES TO OMAHA VIA THE NORTH WESTERN LINE
One and one-half fare for the round trip. Dec. 12 to 17, inclusive, account National Corn Exposition, Omaha. Return limit Dec. 22. Full particulars on application to Ticket Agents.

SPORTING BRIEFS

CHICAGO.—Hubert North of Kalamazoo, was elected captain of next year's Lake Forest academy football team. North has played tackle on the Lake Forest academy team for two years and his work in getting out of the line and tackling has been brilliant.

RIPON, Wis.—Oshkosh and Fort Atkinson High schools will settle the state high school championship on Ingalls field this afternoon. Steffen and Schommer of the university of Chicago team have consented to act as arbiters of the contest. Both are personal friends of Director Luehring, who is a pupil of the Stagg school.

ROCKFORD, Ill.—Sinnock, the University of Illinois quarterback, will umpire the Rockford-Urbana game here this afternoon for the state high school title. Herring of the University of Wisconsin will be head linesman. Stagg has been asked to appoint a referee, and his choice probably will be Page or Idings.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—Bobby Stubbs on a five horse power motor-

SPECIAL TRAIN
CONVEYS WARRIORSBIG CROWD GOES TO SPARTA
FOR SUPREME TEST

LOCAL SCHOOL ENTHUSIASTIC

Sparta is Playing Strongest Lineup,
But Cooper Crowd Feels Victory
Will Be Won

A special train will leave the Northwestern depot at 1:30 for the La Crosse High School and Sparta football game this afternoon for championship honors at Sparta. Both teams are in the pink of condition and the game is sure to be the hardest fought in several years. The game means very much to both teams as the victor has much of a claim to the state championship as the victorious team in the contest between Oshkosh and Ft. Atkinson, which also takes place today. The last mentioned contenders seem to think that the teams in the western part of the state have no right to a claim but without a doubt either the La Crosse or Sparta teams could give the eastern squads a hard battle.

Both La Crosse and Sparta are confident of victory and the result will be in doubt until the sound of the whistle announces the game is over. The wet weather will no doubt handicap the local team in the handling of the forward passes while Sparta will be able to indulge in line smashes no matter what the weather conditions are. Every loyal citizen is invited to attend the game and after arriving there join in with one of the yell masters and root for the team. A united band of rooters does a great deal toward securing a victory for a team playing away from home as the players feel that they are not alone in fighting for honors.

Four cheer masters were appointed by Professor Benetzel last evening and every student of the High School has joined one of the four so that with the rooting systematized La Crosse ought not to be outclassed by Sparta. The two teams will line up as follows:

La Crosse.	Sparta.
Harold Davis	C. Walters
Brindley	L.G. Evans
Trachner	R.G. Ayers
Holbrook	L.T. Hansen
Jungbluth	R.T. Johnson
N. Tourtellotte	L.E. Smith
F. Roddy	R.E. Hatch
Hiedeman	L.H.B. Jackson
Dickens	R.H.B. Abrahamson
W. Tourtellotte	F.B. McDonald
Shaw	Q.B. Jefferson

Watched Fifteen Years.

"For fifteen years I have watched the working of Bucklen's Arnica Salve; and it has never failed to cure any sore, boil, ulcer or burn to which it was applied. It has saved my many a doctor bill," says A. F. Hardy, of East Wilton, Maine, 25c at O. T. Erhart's drug store.

cycle broke the world's record for 100 miles on a circular track, held by Stanley Kellogg of Philadelphia who went 100 miles in 2:05:35. Stubbs' time was 1:51:57.

TOKIO.—The American and Keio University baseball teams exchanged batteries in their game today. The Americans won by a score of 10 to 4.

Only One "BROMO QUININE," that is
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

B. W. L. on every box. 25c

THE NAVY SQUAD AND CAPTAIN NORTHCROFT



115, got 105.

Class B.
Colman 80, won 80; Brayton 70, got 43.
Colman 80, won 80; Craft 65, got 45.

Raymond 65, won 65; Gund 75, got 52.
Kroner 65, won 65; Skinner 80, got 51.

Holway 70, won 70; Colman 80, won 77.
Colman 80, won 80; Torrance 65, got 27.

Allerton 65, won 65; Wing 65, got 61.
Holway 70, won 70; Brayton 70, got 66.

Craft 65, won 65; Holway 70, got 34.
Kurtnacker 65; won 65; Raymond 65, got 58.

Class C.
Whelply 60, won 60; Mulford 60, got 51.
Mitchel 60, won 60; Bentley 50,

got 42.

Bentley 50, won 50; Tourtellotte 45, got 20.
Morse 45, won 45; Whelply 60, got 47.

Mulford 60, won 60; Morse 45, got 44.

Class D.
Gelatt 35, won 35; Egan 35, got 20.

Farnum 35, won 35; Holbeck 35, got 22.
Spence 30, won 30; Holbeck 35, got 16.

Reitelz 40, won 40; Spence 30, got 28.

Egan 35, won 35; Spence 30, got 22.
Reitelz 40, won 40; Weiland 40, got 20.
Egan 35, won 35; Holbeck 35, got 21.

He who thinks twice before he speaks increases the worth of his words twenty times.



ARMY FOOTBALL SQUAD COMING ON TO THE FIELD



The Men in the Foreground are from left to right, Geble, Chamberlin and Dean.

CANNON AND CONGRESS.

(Boston Advertiser.)

Joseph G. Cannon is a "boss." He is the "boss" of the house of representatives, and he wields a power more autocratic than any Tammany boss ever had in New York, or Matt Quay ever hoped to possess in Pennsylvania. There is not a republican congressman who will not admit this, if he is disposed to be honest with his constituents. And it is now an issue whether the people shall rule in congress, or whether Boss Cannon shall rule. This is an issue really more important than Cannon's attitude on the tariff, his past record for free silver, his other blunders of policy. If Mr. Cannon is elected speaker of the next house of representatives, he will be chosen "boss" for another two years, with the full understanding of all implied in that choice. The men who will vote for him as speaker will realize perfectly that they are surrendering their own right to independent action and putting the interests of their constituents and of their districts into the hands of this one man, with all his disregard for what the people want or do not want. There can be no difference of opinion on that score. The question is whether, to secure good committee places, the congressmen are willing to sacrifice their last shred of independence and self respect. The trade must be made, if they vote for Cannon.

No man can long be a bigot who tries to be a brother.

PARTY'S GREAT CRISIS

(Milwaukee Journal.)

We ask the republican reactionaries in Wisconsin who imagine that their party is about to fall back into their arms to study the following Washington Dispatch of this date: "The president-elect believes, and in this belief he has many supporters, that in the ensuing four years the republican party will face the greatest crisis of its history, involving its very existence, and that upon the way in which he administers affairs will rest the fate of his party. It is a simple question whether the progressive or the reactionary members of the party shall rule."

The Progressives are pretty certain to avenge the national administration on their side.

How Is Your Digestion.
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TEN EYCK ARRESTED
ON SERIOUS CHARGE

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Nov. 26.—James A. Ten Eyck, stroke of Syracuse university eight oared crew, was arrested here today for the Chicago police. He is charged with being a party in a pool game by which Christ Hansen was fleeced out of \$1,350.

By Degrees.
"Gimme some soft-boiled eggs."
"Better have an omelet, sir," suggested the waiter. "Them eggs ain't extraordinary fresh."
"All right; make it an omelet."
"And, sir—"
"Well, waiter?"
"Better have a Spanish omelet."
The order was then switched to chops.—Kansas City Journal.

Juggling Dates.
"She certainly is a woman of tact."
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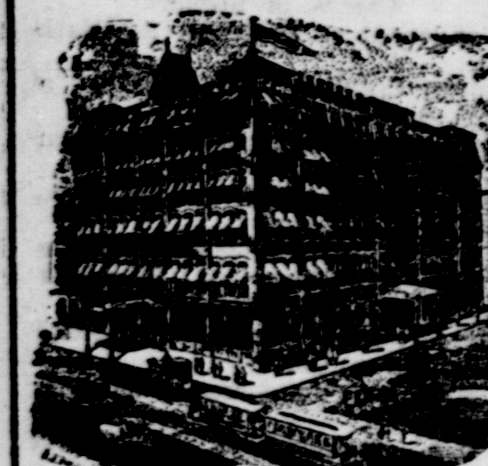
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1-Thurs	6,461	16-Fri	6,767
2-Fri	6,477	17-Sat	6,771
3-Sat	6,478	18-Sunday	
4-Sunday		19-Mon	7,046
5-Mon	6,482	20-Tues	7,007
6-Tues	6,517	21-Wed	7,021
7-Wed	6,577	22-Thurs	7,085
8-Thurs	6,559	23-Fri	7,085
9-Fri	6,589	24-Sat	7,047
10-Sat	6,639	25-Sunday	
11-Sunday		26-Mon	7,056
12-Mon	6,627	27-Tues	7,067
13-Tues	6,693	28-Wed	7,197
14-Wed	6,728	29-Thurs	7,187
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FRANK H. BURGESS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirty-first day of October, 1908.

A. E. BLECKMAN.
Notary Public.

THANKSGIVING

We have much for which to be thankful, let us give thanks.

As a nation we are progressing. We have had a panic, but it was a panic precipitated by "malactors of great wealth" who brought hardship to the nation in their fear that the hand of the law was at last to be laid upon them. For the aroused public opinion which inspired that fear, let us give thanks; for the strong hand that has dared molest these predatory wealthy, let us give praise; for other strong hands and hearts that will not permit the work of restoring the government to the people, no matter how loud the cry of monopolists or how lasting their "panic," let us give thanks to the Omnipotent.

The pessimist says, "Give thanks that 'Joe' Cannon has consented to 'tinker' with the tariff, and that we are about to secure revision (up or down?)"

The pessimist is not to be blamed, much. But the optimist looks at the general trend of things, and knows

types are melted into one was shaped from 1776 to 1788, and our nationality was definitely fixed in all its essentials by the men of Washington's day. The strains will not continue to exist separately in this country as in the old world. They will be combined in one; and of this new type those men will best represent what is loftiest in the nation's past, what is finest in her hope for the future, who stand each solely on his worth as a man; who scorn to do evil to others, and who refuse to submit to wrongdoing themselves; who have in them no taint of weakness; who never fear to fight when fighting is demanded by a sound and high morality, but who hope by their lives to bring ever nearer the day when justice and peace shall prevail within our own borders and in our relations with all foreign powers.

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

A November Comedy
The pumpkin's in the pasture,
And the frost is in the air,
And the fire is in the stubble,
And the woods are stripped and bare,
And the moon is in the treetops,
Like a half a silver hoop,
And a shadow's in the barnyard,
And the turkey's in the coop.

The farmer's in the kitchen
With his pipe between his teeth,
Thinking of tomorrow's dinner
As he blows a lazy wreath
And the dog is on the hearth rug
With the heat upon his back,
And the shadow's climbing fences
And the turkey's in the sack.
—Minna Irving in New York Sun.

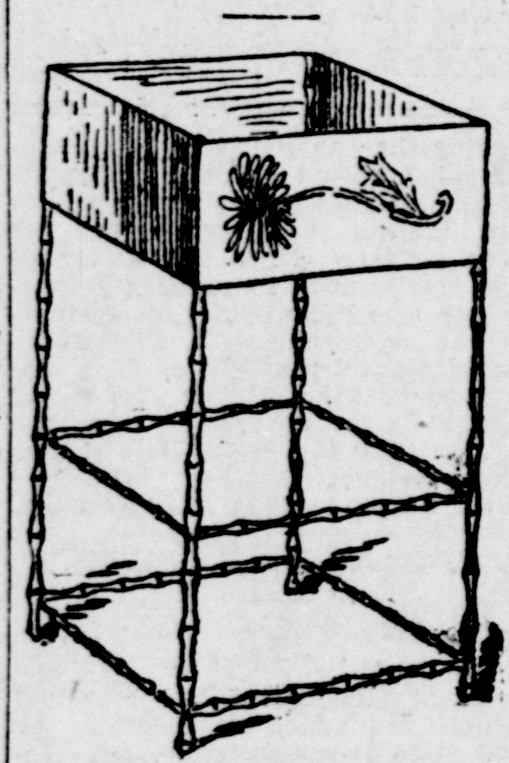
He Foused Her
Philetus M. Helfer has established a college among the prisoners at Auburn, N. Y., the faculty being composed of convicts who are graduates of Oxford, Harvard, Yale and other great universities.

Discussing his odd college scheme recently, Mr. Helfer said:
"But anything is good for convicts that interests, cheers and encourages them. Discourage them, scorn them, nag at them, and you rouse the latent evil in them even as it was roused the other day in a frail and beautiful New York typewriter girl. This refined creature worked for a rather cranky old broker. The broker found a good deal of unjust fault with her, but she was gentle and patient and put up with him in silence."

"One morning, however, he turned up in a quite insupportable humor. 'Look at my desk!' he roared. 'All in disorder! All in confusion! All in—'

"But, sir, the young girl interrupted mildly, 'you have often told me never to touch your desk.'"
"Well, I don't want you to disturb my papers," he admitted. And then his eye caught a sheet of postage stamps. "But look at these stamps, I don't want them here," he shouted.
"She took up the stamps.
"Where shall I put them, sir?" she said.
"Ah," he snarled, "put 'em anywhere—anywhere out of sight."
"She flushed.
"Very well, sir," she said icily; and, giving the stamps a quick lick with her pretty tongue, she stuck the big sheet on his bald head and departed to look for another job."
—Boston Herald.

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Fit a piece of heavy cardboard to the frame so that it will rest on the braces 12 inches from the top and form the bottom of the basket. After this is fitted cover with scrim. Cut the scrim into a strip 12 inches wide and fasten this with tacks around the outside of the box at the top. This will give you a standard work basket so handy around the house.

Chrysanthemums are very appropriate designs to embroidery on scrim for Japanese baskets. To gilt poles gives a very effective result.

SPOTLIGHTS

"The Virginian," which comes to the La Crosse theater next Friday, Nov. 27, is a production with a strong heart appeal and free from anything at which the most fastidious could take offense, as an example: The curtain of the third act rises on a moonlit gorge in the Rockies, where Steve, Trampas—Steve's evil genius and the Virginian's enemy—a Mexican and another are playing poker and cooking supper at a fire. They're a reckless, dare-devil quartet and they plan what they shall do with their money, all the while aware that if they are captured, it means rope for four necks. Trampas and another, going away to take a look out, leave Steve and the Mexican. The Mexican is scared; Steve, who is not bad at heart, assumes a bold front. A few minutes before he has threatened to fight Trampas for saying vile things of the Virginian, and, as he sits here he knows that if the Virginian, whom he loves, is at the head of the searching expedition, it means discovery and death. There is heard the crackling of a twig and the men start. The Mexican is weak with alarm, Steve cheers him up. "It's nothing," he says. He urges the Mexican to play the game like a man, and if he loses to take his medicine gracefully. Suddenly the two men are surrounded by the Virginian and his men. There follow incidents of grim humor when Steve meets his old acquaintances and of intense pathos when he and the Virginian look at each other in silence. Not a word speaks the Virginian until he steps forward to shake hands and say farewell to his doomed friend. But the latter turns his back. A moment later he writes on a piece of newspaper an affectionate note of farewell to the Virginian and tells him he did not say so to him, he could not have endured the agony of it. As other men lead the courageous Steve and the craven Mexican away to die, the Virginian, his heart aching, reads this note. This is said to be the strongest scene in the play, and is well worth the price of admission. W. S. Hart will be seen in the title role. Mr. Hart has earned for himself a reputation that he may well be proud of and is sure to make a good Virginian. Frank Campeau is still with the company, and under the management of Kirk LaShelle company a first class performance is warranted.

"Miss Petticoats" as a Book and Play.

As a book "Miss Petticoats" was read and talked about beyond most novels because of the plot, original heroine with the old name, and her quaint life in a New England seaport town. It was published in attractive form by the C. N. Clark Publishing company, of Boston, and directly achieved enormous popularity. Everybody was reading and talking about it, and the sales continued for a year with no abatement, until about this time the parties concerned in the book saw in it all the elements of a successful play. It was out of the ordinary, and possessed some remarkable qualities for dramatization. If the book was successful the play was doubly so. Houses crowded to the doors marked its every performance at the great Boston theatre, where it made its first appearance about five years ago. The play closely follows the book, and no attempt was made to enlarge on the plot. Agatha Renier was an interesting girl of great talent, who lived in poverty on an old whaling ship until brought into society through the offices of a very rich and eccentric lady. She meets a truly original kind of villain, and also a few others who finally involve her in difficulties which she flees to Paris, and finally "comes into her own" by her father's family, and creates a sensation as the Countess Fornay. How she returns to her native town and triumphs over all enemies and dazes the "smart set," make some exciting and thrilling situations. It is the realistic portrayal of character and scene that has won the play its great distinction, for the world not only "loves a lover," but loves anything genuine, and the authors, two eminent Boston journalists, should be congratulated in their knowledge of local features, and the pathos and tragedy of these simple people. A broad vein of satire wit, refreshing as their own salt breezes, runs through the play. A great company will present "Miss Petticoats" at the La Crosse theater on Sunday, Nov. 29, for matinee and night.

IMPORTANT COURT DECISIONS

CONSTRUCTION OF STATUTE.—An Indiana statute provides that "no person, either by his servant or agent, or as the servant or agent of another person, shall sell, exchange, or deliver, or have in his custody or possession with intent to sell, exchange, or deliver, milk produced from cows which have been fed on the refuse of distilleries." In State vs. Squibb, 84, Northeastern Reporter, 969, the indictments charged defendant with unlawfully and knowingly having in his possession milk of the character referred to. The Indiana supreme court held that the language of the statute was unmistakably plain, and the act did not include possession by the principle himself.

The Very First One.

The visitors in the historical museum gazed curiously at a small feather pillow which nestled in a glass case.

"I don't see anything unusual about that pillow," remarked one of the visitors, turning to the guide.

"It's a very valuable pillow," replied the guide. "That is Washington's original headquarters."—Lippincott's.

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THE TURN OF THE TIDE

By Horace Annecley Vachell
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"He gave you a cheque for three thousand pounds?"
"Yes."
"Um!"
Angela could not determine whether or not he was angry with her. She laid her hand upon his arm and said sweetly: "I didn't tell you, because I thought it would vex you. And of course he was right. I ought to have refused that cheque of yours."

"But you didn't."
"He was beginning to grapple with the problem in grim earnest. His forehead became corrugated with the effort of unaccustomed thought.
"You were so nice," she whispered. "I shall never forget your coming to me—never!"
"Um!" said John for the second time. "When did he come—her?"
"Just after you went away—it was rather odd, you might have met. And you remember, don't you, that you gave the cheque to Poppet. She brought it to me when he was standing in front of me. He guessed what it was, made me hand it over, and tore it up."

"And then—"
There is nothing really so confusing and witless as brevity. John's curt questions fell upon his wife's mind with numbing violence.
"And then, he went away—vanished. I promised you that I wouldn't see him, and I didn't. My dear old darling, I'm so sleepy."

"Didn't he the decency to say something about coming back?"
"I can't remember just what was said."

"Did you ask him to come back?"
"Did I ask him to come back?" She laughed lightly, but a keener observer than John might have detected a quaver of fear. "I don't ask men to come to me, mon vieux. Did I ask you? No—you came of your own accord."

"Did you ask him?"
He seized her wrist, staring into her eyes.
"Of course not."
"You—liar."

Then he let himself go, brutally, without restraint, having never acquired the habit of self-control. She sank back upon a chair, while he stood over her, a colossus, an ogre to whom she was bound for ever and ever, linked to him by her act, not his. His mental activity amazed her. Holding him too cheap, she had never suspected that the stupid person may develop latent cleverness when personal issues are at stake. The biggest fool that ever worked for another never forgets to draw his own wage. John had seen Hugo through the judge's spectacles, seen him as the false friend, the abominable guest, the deliberate seducer who gratifies his desires regardless of his victim, Hugo, as the snake in the grass, poor Angela as the fascinated, fluttering bird, this—McAllister's favourite image—had impressed itself upon his inert brain.

"Fooled him, and you fooled me. You let me think you were abandoned, and all the time you had wrung a promise from him to come back and marry you, the very moment the marriage could become legal. It was a devilish clever game, my girl, because you knew that Hugo and I would never speak again to each other on this earth, and that neither

was likely to blab to others. You wanted me because I was the richer, and because society would wink its eye if we came together again. But you were not quite sure of me, so you tied him up tight as wax, and then cut loose, when he did come back. Not a word. Your own child gave you away, the child you used as a lure. Dam it! that was too thick. And now—"

He paused, glaring at her.
She met his glance, conscious of an abominable interrogation in it. He continued thickly: "Poppet loves him. I believe, I believe—"
"No, no," she cried shrilly. "Poppet is yours, I swear it."

"How do I know? Why should I believe you? I shall never believe a word you say again."

He turned from her, almost staggering, and went out of the room. She shuddered, relieved from the fear of personal violence, but knowing that for the future he would always look at Poppet with that terrible question in his eyes. That would be his eternal punishment. And henceforth he would do what he pleased, regardless of her. And he would not improve with increasing years. He would drink more, smoke more, swear more; intemperance in all things. He would keep her as his chattel, because she was the mother of Poppet, and because—perhaps the stronger reason—like most thick-skinned men, he had a horror of ridicule. She felt no pity for him, but she pitied his wife.

That night she cried herself to sleep. John, alone in his dressing-room, never slept a wink. But next day, the rearrangement of the draw-in-room, furniture distracted her. And she experienced a real thrill of pleasure in superintending the hanging of a Greuze bought in Paris. The laughing nymph peering out of a genuine Louis XV frame was not unlike Angela herself. There was the same roguish glance flashing from blue eyes half-veiled by heavy lids; the red lips, revealing a row of white teeth—recalling the old simile: "Roses filled with snow"—had the same curves as her own. Angela knew that this was a portrait of the artist's wife, the book-seller's daughter who had beguiled the painter into marriage and had made him the most wretched of men. Remembering this, she smiled frostily. She might be afraid of her bear, and unable to teach him better manners, but all the same, if he misbehaved he should be made to dance to her piping. In any case, she had her pretty things.

After the morning's labour, she found herself with an excellent appetite for luncheon.

That afternoon Hugo found a sealed letter at his club, with John's big, thick, sprawling handwriting on the envelope.

"I have just discovered that you tore up a cheque of mine some six months ago," Angela tells me that she accepted one of yours instead. I return it. No acknowledgment is necessary."

Hugo's first impulse was to destroy the cheque. Nothing would be more likely to irritate John than the reflection that his sinned against angel had used three thousand pounds belonging to an unspeakable blackguard. To tear it up, however, meant the infliction of a blow below the belt, a blow impossible to guard or return.

On the other hand, he shrank from sending it to his own bankers to collect. Finally he presented it himself, receiving in exchange thirty notes of a hundred pounds each. "Journey money," said Hugo.

In a newly purchased six-cylinder motor, he intended to start on travels which might take him to Pekin or Timbuctoo. At Saffron Charteris Cynthia had lent him Rene Bazin's "Terre qui Meurt." The depopulation of the rural districts was one of Edward's favourite topics of conversation, his battle horse, indeed,

whenever the Suffolk squires encircled his dining-table. Hugo read the book with interest, because the descriptions of La andee were so vivid and delightful; creating a sort of primitive atmosphere, an effect, it will be remembered, produced on him by Joy's songs. In fact, he could not help answering to the call of the wild, whenever he heard it.

Accordingly he determined to motor down to Easthampton, cross to Saint Malo, and travel through Brittany into La Vandee. Pixon could be despatched to Saffron Charteris, where fresh air and exercise, during the month of May, had mightily improved his complexion.

Before leaving England, Hugo called upon Esme Burgess. The Hope of the New Brooms had moved into some comfortable lodgings in the city of Westminster, within a stone's throw of Saint Stephen's Tower—snug quarters, but not very easy to find, and disagreeably close to some of the worst slums in London. Hugo paid his visit in the morning, walking across Saint James' Park. As he strolled leisurely along, he noticed the many loafers upon the grass, enjoying sun-baths, probably the only baths they ever took. It was mid-summer, and very warm, a slight steam rising out of ground still moist from a shower which had fallen during the night. One of the loafers, spying a toff, approached Hugo and asked for alms. The man had a fairly honest face and a stout body.

"Why aren't you at work?" said Hugo.
"Cause I can't get none," replied the man shortly. "If yer think I like ter do nothink yer makin' an error. Look at my 'ands!" He held out a pair, palm upmost, with the signs of hard work freshly imposed on them. "I've 'ad ter do nothink fer a week. And I 'ate it. Yer can't get no taste outer nothink!"

Hugo presented him with half a crown.
"I wish I could give you a job instead."

"Thank ye, my lord. I wish to Gawd you could."

Hugo strolled on muttered to himself: "Yer can't get no taste outer nothink."

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REBUILD FALLEN
HOUSE ON PIERS

The Jenks ice house which recently collapsed, is being rapidly rebuilt but not the same as the former structure. Four concrete pillars have been put in the center of the ice house and will be the support for the roof. Eight large arches will rest on the concrete piers, this making a very substantial ice house, and if the weather is favorable the structure will be completed by the 15th of December, thus enabling Mr. Jenks to use this house the coming winter. Contractor Arenz has estimated the loss caused by the collapse to be \$400 and it is not covered by insurance.

Mr. Jenks has purchased a large amount of ice from Warsaw with which he will supply the public for the rest of the season. He said that if the river did not raise, that he would cut ice in East Channel, because he could not get enough ice in Colman's slough to fill all his houses, but he is very confident that the river will raise before it freezes up.

PASSENGER RUNS
THROUGH A SWITCH

Train No. 8 which leaves this city at 6:20 a. m. was delayed nearly an hour this morning when the switch tender at the southside switch stand forgot to throw the passenger switch and the train ran through it. The engineer, thinking that the switch point had been broken, started ahead and the first pair of trucks ran off the track. With the aid of several men and jacks the trucks were replaced but not until the train had been delayed 45 minutes.

FUNERAL OF DEAD
FIREMAN TOMORROW

The body of J. E. Carter will be taken to Cassville, Wis., tomorrow noon, where the funeral and interment will be held.

NORTHSIDE IN BRIEF

Jessica: Mother says there's only one "best boy" Gold Medal Flour. The children of the St. James school rendered an enjoyable Thanksgiving program in the school-house yesterday afternoon. A large number attended.

Mrs. S. M. Senstad and daughter Verna of 1202 George street are confined at their home by illness.

Mrs. Frank Groeschner will entertain a number of her relatives at a Thanksgiving dinner today.

Miss Cora Schultz, who has been attending the university at Madison, is home for a Thanksgiving vacation.

Mrs. J. Dancherson of St. Paul will spend Thanksgiving with relatives on the north side.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Sanderburg of Minneapolis will spend Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lamb of Prospect street.

Rev. N. F. Clark of Neenah, Wis., will preach Sunday evening in the Tabernacle Baptist church.

The union Thanksgiving meeting at the Tabernacle Baptist church was very largely attended. Rev. Randall was the first speaker, and he was assisted by Rev. L. L. Sanders and Rev. Ingham.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Graf of George street will entertain a number of friends to dinner today. The invited guests are Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Port, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kook, Mrs. M. E. Carley, Miss Norma Partridge, Mrs. F. Graf of Minneapolis and Mrs. W. E. Randall.

Mrs. H. Singer and son left yesterday for Lansing, Ia., where they will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Singer's parents.

Mr. George Stom who has been visiting at the home of Mr. Herman Singer for the past few days, has returned to his home in Lansing.

Mrs. M. J. Patron of 1306 Kane street is confined to her home on account of illness.

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NAVAL CRITICS TO
PESTER CONGRESSCOMING SESSION TO HEAR MUCH
ABOUT SHIPS

ADMINISTRATIVE SYSTEM BAD

Not Only Character of Vessels But
Manner of Running Navy to
Be Scored

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 24.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

Critics of the navy are likely to be heard from a good deal at the coming session of congress. It is hardly likely that it will be possible at the short session to enact a law providing for a comprehensive reorganization of the navy department and for those reforms needed to remove the present friction between different boards and bureaus. Such legislation is more likely to come at the long session beginning about a year hence. Nevertheless there are indications that the agitation for reform will be kept up, on the theory that about so much disturbance is needful before congress can be induced to tear itself loose from the influence of the bureaucratic regime that now runs the navy department and legislate for the simplification of the system of administering that department.

Attacks Present System.

W. D. Walker, editor of Army and Navy Life, is out with a sweeping attack on the present administrative system of the navy department that is likely to attract notice in connection with the movement in congress for the reorganization of the department. Mr. Walker makes some sweeping charges against the present naval regime. His assertion is this: "At present the fleet is not, in certain vital respects, prepared for battle against an efficient enemy; nor will it ever be under the burden of the existing indefensible administrative organization of the navy department."

Mr. Walker cites numerous opinions and reports of high naval officials to show that the administrative organization of the department is hopelessly inefficient, fundamentally wrong and irresponsible. He points out that for twenty-five years unimpeachable official testimony from such secretaries of the navy as Whitney, Tracy, Long and Moody has utterly condemned the administrative organization of the navy department, both from a business and a military point of view, and that this testimony has been placed before congress. Mr. Walker says numerous bills have been introduced in congress but have come to nothing for the reason that "the bureau officers of the navy department, for the reason that their vested individual interests and the vested individual interests of the corps they represent will be adversely affected, invariably oppose any reorganization of the department." It is charged that the reason many members of the naval committees are satisfied with the existing system is that under it they get what they want for their districts in the way of appropriations for navy yards, training stations, coaling stations and the like.

Sharp Contrast Is Drawn.

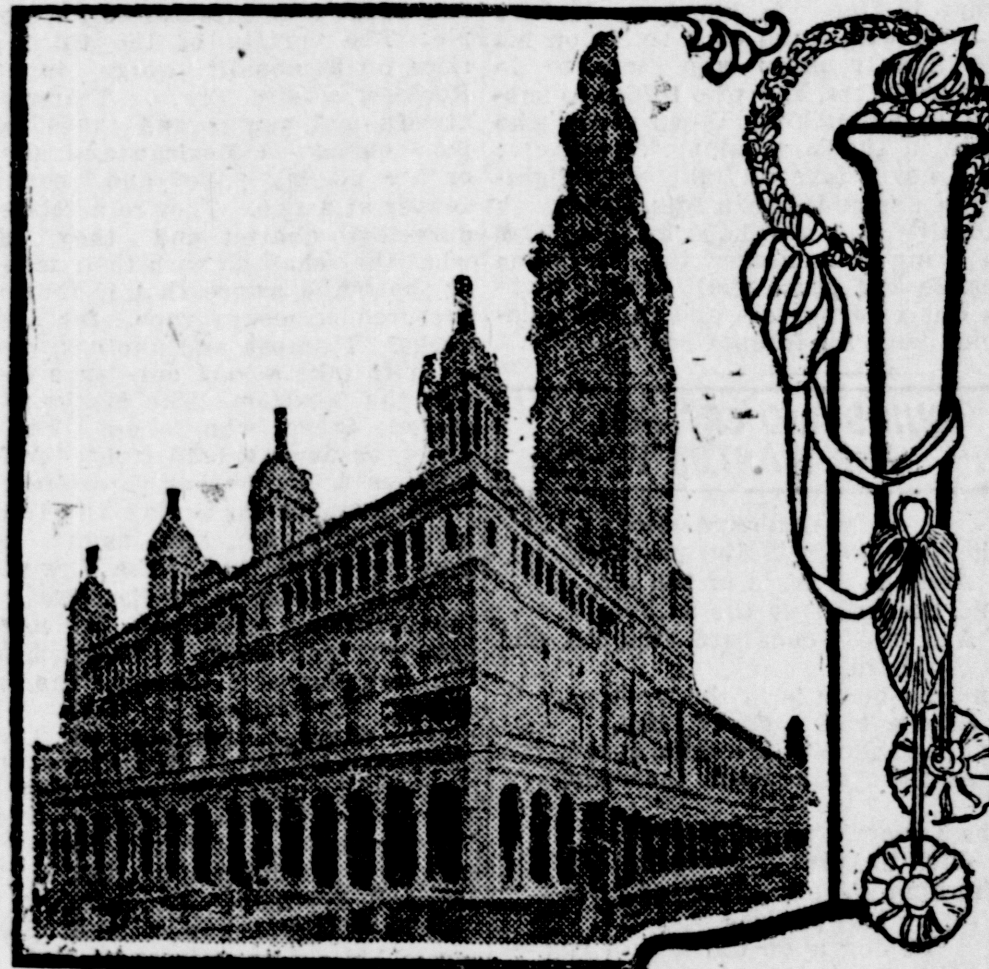
A contrast is drawn by Mr. Walker between the British naval administrative system and the system that obtains in the American navy department. The British system is the outgrowth of centuries of study and experience and, in sharp difference to the system on this side of the water, it is closely centralized. The head is the first lord of the admiralty and he is held responsible for the readiness and efficiency of the navy. Under him is the admiralty board, of four admirals. He belongs to this board by virtue of his office and has the absolute veto over it, as well as power of initiative. Each commissioner is assigned to certain duties, as, for instance, the second naval commissioner, who has charge of personnel. A financial secretary has all financial data. By calling together four commissioners and the financial secretary the first lord of the admiralty can absolutely settle any question involved in the administration of the navy in peace or war. The membership of the board is frequently changed so that it may have the advantage of the experience of officers fresh from the sea and, as Mr. Walker says, "free from office cobwebs."

The British system avoids what Mr. Moody when secretary of the navy, described as "conflicts of jurisdiction between the bureaus," leading sometimes to "excessive and cumbersome organization, and lack of harmony of effort resulting from the fact that there is no co-ordination except by the voluntary action of the bureau of chiefs."

No Effort to Obtain Efficiency.

The scheme of organization of the navy department as now constituted, the assistant secretary of the navy, the assistant secretary of the navy, the chief of the bureau of navigation, the chief of the bureau of yards and docks, the chief of the bureau of supplies and accounts, the chief of the bureau of medicine and surgery, the chief of the bureau of construction and repair, the chief of the bureau of steam engineering, the chief of the bureau of ordnance and the chief of the bureau of equipment. Mr. Walker says that a glance at this

THE MADISON SQUARE GARDEN IS DOOMED



NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—As a result of the decision of the stockholders of Madison Square garden to place the property on the market it is probable that this widely known place will disappear from the amusement world. Build 28 years ago, with a seating capacity of 12,000, it has been the scene of great political

A LITTLE GIRL'S THANKSGIVING STORY

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gatherings, circuses, prize fights, walking matches, bicycle races and horse shows, but it has always been maintained at a loss to the investors, among whom are J. Pierpont Morgan and D. O. Mills. The price asked for the property is \$3,200,000. New Yorkers contemplate the passing of the beautiful and historic building as little short of a public calamity.

thought that we could give something to them. May we?"

Her father said he would think about it.

Then Bessie's mamma said that dinner was ready, so they all went into the dining room. After dinner Bessie's father said, "I think that we can make one family happy, at least, so tomorrow we will take a turkey and some pies over to them."

Bessie was very happy when her father said this.

The next morning Bessie and her father got a big basket and packed it full of good things. Then they took the basket over to Mary's house.

They knocked at the door and Mary's mother said, "Open the door, Mary."

When Mary saw who their visitors were she was surprised. Then she told them to come in. They were very thankful for everything that Bessie and her father brought.

Mary and Bessie were both 11 years old. They chatted away together and when Bessie went away they were both good friends. That night Bessie said to her mother, when she was going to bed, "Mother, this has been the very nicest Thanksgiving day I have ever had."

And that very same night Mary said to her mother, "I think it was very kind of Bessie to give us such good things and I wish she would come over and play with her some time and this is the happiest Thanksgiving I have ever had."

And then Bessie and Mary both went to sleep.

organization shows "that no technical officer is detailed to look after the military efficiency of the navy, its preparedness for war, the sole object for which it was created. There is no attempt at co-ordination to obtain the one all-important object, the military efficiency of the fleet." In recent years the general board of the navy has been created but its duties are advisory.

"If we take off the lid of the navy department administrative clock to get a clear view of its main operating wheels, not permitting ourselves to be deceived by the auxiliary wheels, some of which are purely ornamental and others supplementary, we will find that the real driving machinery consists of eight independent wheels representing the eight independent bureaus, each mounted on its own shaft, revolving in various directions at various rates of speed depending upon the amount congress has wound up each for the fiscal year with."

Says Congress Erred in 1842. Mr. Walker asserts that a cardinal error was made by congress in 1842 when it abolished the navy board of three naval commissioners, who jointly gave the secretary of the navy responsible advice and assistance in administering the navy. He suggests legislation for something like the British system, closely centralized, with a board of commissioners under the secretary of the navy much like the board that existed in this country before 1842. These commissioners would be sea-going officers of high rank and experience.

This session, the administration will renew its efforts for a huge naval building program. In view of the rapidly with which the navy is being expended, this question of the administrative defects of the navy department is certain to occupy increasing attention until those defects are corrected. The supporters of administrative reforms in the navy department have been considerably cheered up lately by the selection of Truman G. Newberry for secretary of the navy, as he is believed to have little sympathy with the present organization. On the other hand, the impression is strong that Senator Hale of Maine is going to remain at the head of the senate committee on naval affairs instead of

taking the appropriation chairman-ship left vacant by Senator Allison. Senator Hale's sympathies run with the existing naval regime, as was pretty clearly shown last winter by his hostile attitude toward the witnesses who came before his committee to criticize certain alleged defects in naval construction. The supporters of the existing order of things in the navy department are hopeful that if Senator Hale retains the naval chairmanship little progress will be made by the reformers.

ACCUSED JUDGE RESIGNS.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 26.—Judge Milo A. Root of the supreme court of Washington, whose official actions are under investigation by the State Bar association, has resigned. The reason given is that Judge Root is about to undergo an operation that will confine him to the hospital.

Age brings wisdom, but the trouble is that it doesn't leave us much time to use it.

SOMETHING FOR
NOTHING

Did you see it?
Where and what is it?
Can you guess the correct weight?

What about it anyway?
You may guess right and you may not!

May be you will get it and may be not!

A "Perfection" will please you!

You can find out all about it if you will not forget to look into the show window of

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Now and again you see two women passing down the street who look like sisters. You are astonished to learn that they are mother and daughter, and you realize that a woman at forty or forty-five ought to be at her finest and fairest. Why isn't it so?

The general health of woman is so intimately associated with the local health of the essentially feminine organs that there can be no red cheeks and round form where there is female weakness.

Women who have suffered from this trouble have found prompt relief and cure in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It gives vigor and vitality to the organs of womanhood. It clears the complexion, brightens the eyes and reddens the cheeks.

No alcohol, or habit-forming drugs is contained in "Favorite Prescription." Any sick woman may consult Dr. Pierce by letter, free. Every letter is held as sacredly confidential, and answered in a plain envelope. Address: World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Pres., Buffalo, N. Y.



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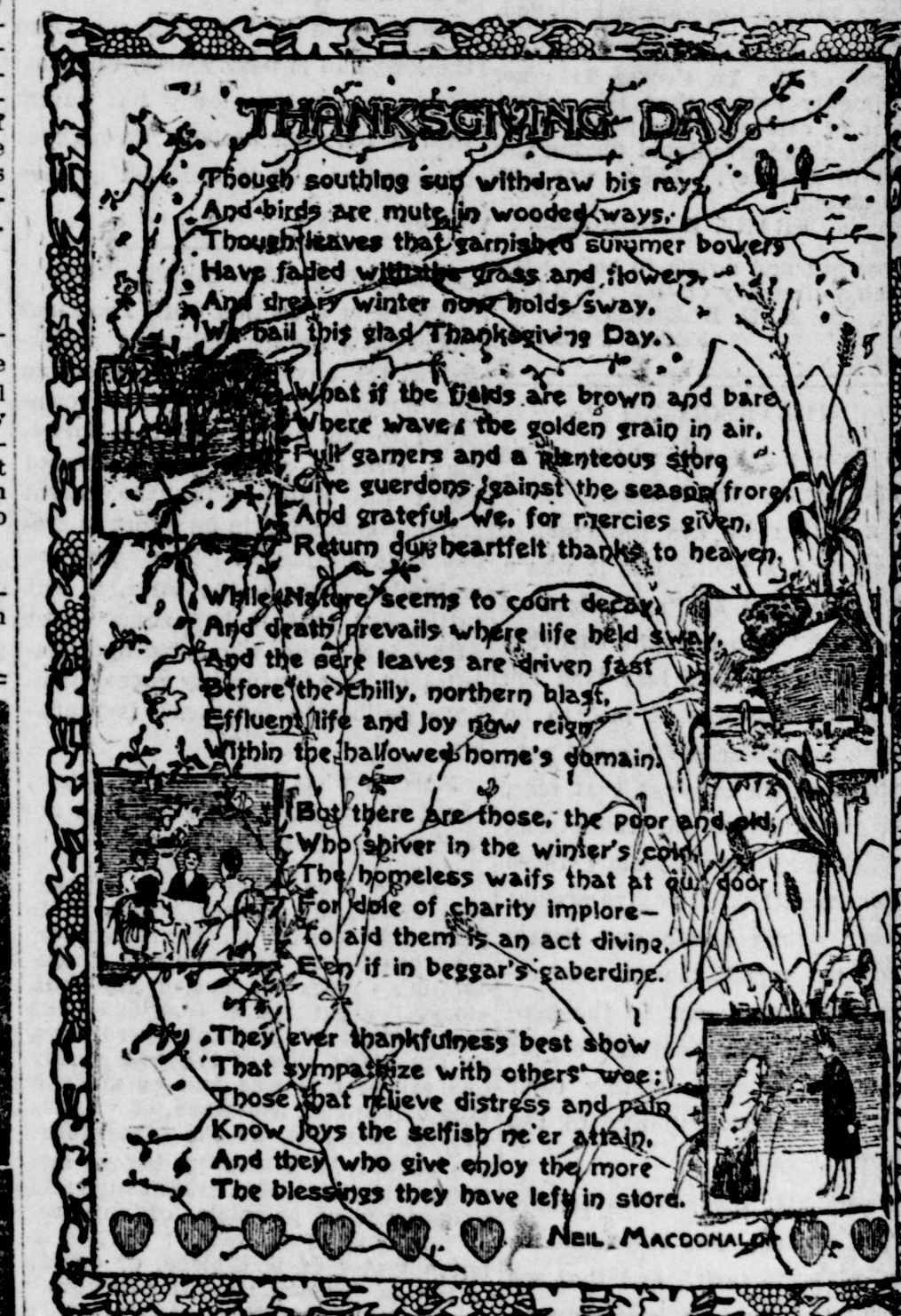
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A THANKSGIVING POEM



READ THE TRIBUNE

Let us send you some of our Sealshipt Oysters, the kind that come in Patent Carriers—ice and oysters separate—all the flavor kept in—all the contamination kept out. The kind of oysters you have always wished you could get. No chemical preservative is ever used with Sealshipt oysters and they are guaranteed absolutely pure, clean and fresh. They are different from the "doped," watered oysters shipped in slimy, unclean tubs.

Sealshipt Oysters are full measure solid meat and just as cheap as "watered" tub oysters at a lower price. If you want to pay a high price for water, buy the tub oysters; if you don't want to pay for water, but do desire to get full value for your money, let us send you some of our delicious Sealshipt Oysters. You don't know how good oysters can be until you have tried them.

Sealshipt Oysters Fresh Every Morning.

JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE



PERSONALS

FORD—The Car of Quality.
Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Walter Lawrence, a ten-pound boy.

Mrs. Mary C. Turner and Miss Allie Turner arrived in the city yesterday to spend Thanksgiving with relatives.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.
J. C. Kroner, president of the Kroner Hardware company, has returned from Memphis, Tenn., where he was in attendance upon the National convention of hardware men.

G. F. Flynn, diseases of women.
Dr. Will Flynn went to Minneapolis yesterday to spend Thanksgiving with two of his brothers, who are attending the university of Minnesota.

Harry Palmer has returned from Minneapolis where he transacted business.
Millinery Sale—Ladies' trimmed hats at half price, felt and velvet shapes; children's \$4.00 trimmed flats at \$2.85. Plumes and feathers a specialty. Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. T. J. McDonough, 227 N. 3rd street.
Miss Florence O'Neil of Rock Island is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Bert Lennon and daughter and Mrs. J. M. Boehm of Decorah are the guests of Mrs. Frank Bailey for a few days.

Bob.
Just made some splendid biscuits—Gold Medal Flour.
Mrs. B. S. Steadwell is visiting friends in Rochester, Minn., for a week.

Mrs. Jessie Pettibone of Minneapolis is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Holley, Jr.
Hack calls promptly attended to. Phone 179 Gateway City Trfr. Line.

Attorney James Thompson has returned from a short business trip to Sparta.
Chairman V. S. Keppel of the county board was in the city yesterday calling on friends.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, 130 South Tenth street, Tuesday night, a son.
Mr. Ernest F. Bunn has returned from an extensive visit with friends and relatives at Madison, Wis.

Miss Mary Schultze who has been attending the University at Madison has been compelled to leave school on account of sickness.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. O. T. Erhart.

"FOXY ABE" MAKES EXCUSE

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 26.—"I gave away too much weight, and besides injured my hand in training, which interfered with my work," was the excuse given today by Abe Attell for his defeat by Welsh, Attell, California's hitherto undefeated featherweight, is today forced from the limelight, the Englishman taking his place. Welsh was Attell's master at every stage of the game. Although the fight was the cleverest ever seen in these parts, Attell met a better man. Today steps are being taken to have "Foxy Abe" and his conqueror meet again.

"OUR FOUR YEAR QUEENS"



Sarah, Polk, Wife of President Polk, from 1845 to 1849

When James K. Polk succeeded Tyler as president of the United States, he brought with him to the White house to share his triumph his wife, Sarah Polk.

Mrs. Polk was a strict Presbyterian. During her regime there were no more dances in the president's house, no more wine at his levees. She set a new standard of social life in the White house, and no greater reformer ever held sway in a social life at Washington than she. This does not mean that Mrs. Polk was not thoroughly capable, for she en-

TO CURE STOMACH TROUBLES

Have Your Druggist Fill the Following Prescription.

If your stomach is out of sort; if your food doesn't agree with you; if you have no appetite; and if you just don't care whether school keeps or not go to your druggist and have him fill the following prescription:

Compound Tincture of Cinchona, one ounce; Prosene Compound, one ounce, and Sherry Wine, one-half pint. Mix together, and take one teaspoonful before meals and at bedtime in a wine glass full of water.

This simple prescription is recommended very highly by stomach specialists in all cases of Dyspepsia, Indigestion and as a general stomach tonic; the vegetable tonics and digestive ferments in the Prosene Compound increase the secretations of the Gastric Juices and excite them to action.

It is claimed that this simple prescription will cure any case of stomach trouble that is curable.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

Prof. W. E. Utendorfer was a passenger on Wednesday afternoon's train for Spring Green, where he will spend Thanksgiving at the home of his sister.

Paul and Hattie Mehnert have gone to their home at Eastman for the Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Addie Allen is the guest of relatives at Lynxville.
Mrs. J. C. Rowley and her daughter Louise went to Milwaukee Wednesday, where they will visit relatives for a week or ten days.

Mrs. Harrison Coleman of Bell Center is in the city to spend Thanksgiving at the home of her son, Clarence Coleman.

Mrs. Carhart of Milwaukee arrived Wednesday evening to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Paris.

Miss Josephine Cornford, who teaches at Bell Center, is at her home in this city to spend her vacation.

Miss Harriet Pinkerton, Jennings Jordan and Van Brokaw are home from the university at Madison for the vacation.

Francis and Gertrude Kane arrived Wednesday evening from Milwaukee and are the guests of the Misses Voith and other friends here.

Mr. Marcus Frederick has returned from a visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thos. Kane, in Milwaukee.

Mr. F. Schroeder was fined \$5 and costs in Police Justice Du Charme's court Wednesday for assault and battery, the complaining witness being Mr. Ernest Shultz. Mr. Schroeder has taken an appeal in his case to the circuit court.

The funeral of Mr. Frank Slama, who died Monday at his home in this city, was held at St. John's Bohemian Catholic church, at 8:30 Wednesday morning.

A large number of former students and graduates of St. Mary's academy arrived Wednesday evening to attend the concert given by the academy girls on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dot Wells of North McGregor are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dundon.

Mrs. R. W. Fallis returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Lancaster.

SOCIETY

PLOW CO. ANNUAL IS AGAIN A PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

The ninth annual ball given last evening by the La Crosse Plow company was in every way a success.

The hall was very prettily decorated and the illumination was very beautiful. At midnight a lunch was served in the large dining room on the third floor. The music furnished by Kreutz's full orchestra was highly appreciated by everyone. Cars were furnished and a car went to each part of the city every hour until 3 a. m. The dance was very largely attended and everyone present expressed their having a very good time.

Mr. L. C. Hirschheimer greeted the guests at the main entrance of the big building, and Mr. A. Hirschheimer and wife met the visitors at the head of the stairs where the ball room spread before the guests as they arrived. These affairs are most enjoyable each year and prove a strong factor in cementing the strong mutual feeling between the employers and workers in one of La Crosse's biggest institutions.

BASKET PICNIC

Tuesday afternoon the picnic crowd gathered at the home of Mrs. Emma Law and Mrs. W. R. Finch carrying their well filled baskets of dainties. In the party were Mesdames Sill, A. P. Hankerson, N. D. Allen, W. J. Skinner, E. E. Marston, Andrew Lees, L. H. Moulton, Miss Jefferson and Miss Sill.

WEDDED IN WEST

News was received in the city yesterday of the marriage of Mr. James Spire James, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred James. The bride is Miss Amelia Fitzgerald, only daughter of Lieut. Gov. Fitzgerald of Colorado. The affair was not wholly a surprise to the parents as they had been kept informed on the state of affairs from the first, and expected the climax. The bride is said to be a very sensible young woman and will make herself a favorite among her new friends.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Crowther of Fairmont, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Davis of Minneapolis are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Davis.

Don't patch a lie unless you want to make a larger rent.
Mr. W. L. Osborn and daughter, Miss Edna Osborn, have gone to Minneapolis to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. E. N. Osborn and family.

Mr. W. C. Edgar and daughter, Miss Marjorie Edgar, of Minneapolis are guests of Mr. Edgar's sister, Mrs. W. R. Sill.

Don't expect to love when reverence has departed.

CAPT. THOMPSON ENTERTAINS.
A dinner of sixteen covers was given Tuesday evening by Captain W. A. Thompson at his residence on Main street in honor of his guest, General Alexander MacKenzie. The table was beautifully decorated with red and white carnations. The place cards were tied with knots of scarlet, piped with white, representing the colors of the corp of engineers of which Gen. MacKenzie has been an active member for 44 years. The scarlet and white colors were carried out in all of the decorations. General MacKenzie has been for a number of years a frequent visitor in this city where he has made many warm personal friends. He considers the upper Mississippi his home, having been born in the valley about 55 years ago, and he has been in charge of the upper Mississippi River Improvement from 1879 to 1895. Since that date he has been in Washington, D. C., active in the office of the chief of engineers and for four and a half years as chief of the corps of engineers. The 25th of last May he reached the statutory age of 64 and was by power of law retired from active service as major general of the United States army.

ELKS' TURKEYFEST IS A BIG SUCCESS

The turkeyfest given by the Elks last night at their club was a most successful event and a large number of turkeys, geese, ducks, rabbits and squirrels were disposed of. Lunch was served during the evening and the club rooms were crowded with the usual merry crowd until a late hour. After 10:30 Walter Goetzinger provided piano music.

MAKES HIS OWN HAIR TONIC AND SAVES MONEY

The average man when he pays 15c for one application of a hair tonic thinks he is paying a pretty good price, but nevertheless the barber isn't making as much money as his customer supposes. The ready-to-use quinine hair tonics of real merit are expensive preparations, costing \$1.00 to \$1.50 for small bottles. But there is one progressive barber who has found a way to satisfy his customers and more than "break even" on the use of a quinine hair tonic. He makes it himself, using only one ounce of Beta Quinol and half a pint of alcohol and half a pint of water. This gives him a genuine and excellent quinine hair tonic for about one-third the usual cost. His own preparation pleases his customers better than the higher-priced tonics he formerly used. There is nothing better than Beta Quinol for the hair, for it keeps the scalp in a clean and healthy condition, removes dandruff and makes the hair soft and luxuriant. This home-made Beta Quinol hair tonic has stopped falling hair on many of the barber's patrons. He has given his recipe to several of them and his customers are now making the tonic themselves. The materials can be procured at any drug store. Simply shake them well together and they are ready to use.

S.S.S. HEALS OLD SORES

Before any sore can heal, the cause which produces it must be removed. As long as the blood, from which our systems receive their necessary nourishment and strength, remains impure and contaminated with disease germs, any old sore on the body will remain open, and resist every effort made to heal it. The nerves and tissues of the flesh around the places are continually fed with unhealthy matter and nature is simply disposing of the poison by draining it from the system through the sore. The only cure for an old sore is a thorough cleansing of the blood, entirely ridding the system of the cause. S. S. S. heals old sores by removing every particle of impurity from the circulation. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and so completely cleanses the circulation that there is no longer any impurity to drain through the sore, but the place is once more nourished with rich, healthful blood. S. S. S. heals the sore from the bottom, the place soon fills in with healthy, firm flesh, the tenderness leaves, all discharge ceases, the skin regains its natural color and when S. S. S. has thoroughly cleansed and purified the blood the place is permanently healed. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

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CITY NEWS

WARRANT ISSUED FOR MILLER
—A warrant has been issued for Julius Miller, a barber residing at 1016 Avon street, charged with abandoning his wife and children.

MRS. CROCKER WANTS A NEW TRIAL—A motion will be made for a new trial in the case of Mrs. Crocker vs. Harry Colman, by Mrs. Crocker's attorney, John A. Daniels.

TELEGRAPHERS MEET—A meeting of railway telegraphers of this district was held at Portage. A number of La Crosse men attended and a number of prominent members of the organization were present.

RAW LUNGS

When the lungs are sore and inflamed, the germs of pneumonia and consumption find lodgement and multiply. Foley's Honey and Tar kills the cough germs, cures the most obstinate racking cough, heals the lungs, and prevents serious results. The genuine is in the yellow package. O. T. Erhart.

TRIAL AT WILKESBARRE
WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 26.—District Attorney Salsburg this evening arranged with the district attorney's office in New York city that J. Montefiore Meyers, arrested in Pittsburgh on Saturday, be turned over to the local authorities for trial on the charge of conspiracy. Salsburg expects that Meyers will be brought here about the middle of next week.

At the same time John A. and William A. Fitzpatrick, his alleged accomplices, who were brought here from Pittsburgh and placed in jail, will also have a hearing.

It is understood that a number of capitalists from this section of the state will appear against Meyers and the Fitzpatricks.

Better go home and make a net than jump into a pond after the fish.

SAY GOOD-BYE TO MR. COUGH

As soon as you've purchased a bottle of Gray's Yerba Santa, for that cough of yours. As you know it's sold under a positive guarantee, and yet I haven't had one bottle returned in a year. You can use half a bottle, and on return of the other half with a statement that it had no effect on your cough, you will be handed back your money smilingly. You certainly can afford to try Gray's Yerba Santa under these conditions, and become an ardent admirer of this truly marvelous cough cure. 50c and \$1.00 Bottles.

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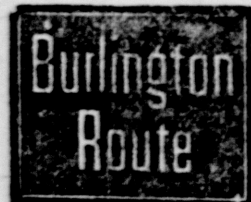
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OMAHA AND RETURN

Account of the National Corn Exposition, Dec. 9-19. Low rates will probably be made for this occasion. Ask agent for rate and dates of sale. Over \$50,000 in prizes; three blocks of buildings; daily experiments and lectures; moving pictures and exhibitions; music.

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\$55.00 SPOKANE AND RETURN

Dec. 1, 2 and 3. Account National Apple Show. Variety of routes and stop-overs.

BIG HORN BASIN EXCURSION

Personally conducted homeseekers' excursions 1st and 3rd Tuesday each month, under guidance of D. Clem Deaver, General Agent Landseekers' Information Bureau, Omaha, to assist settlers to secure irrigated lands in the Big Horn Basin, Wyo., and Yellowstone Valley, Mont.

No matter where you are going it will pay you to see me before completing your arrangements.

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Don't forget that the self-satisfied soul may come far short of satisfying you.

EXECUTIVE MAKES POWERFUL SPEECH

(Continued from page 1.)

the white people also. When completed this building will cost \$100,000, and no sum of money could be better expended. In thirty days the colored people of this city pledged \$25,000 in order to secure a gift of \$25,000 contingent on their raising a like sum. Of this \$25,000 pledged by colored men, only \$12,000 has been paid in; and right here let me say a word to the colored men who have pledged sums and have not redeemed their pledges. No man has a right to promise aid to a cause like this and not keep his promise. It is the duty of every such man to make his promise good and to do it at once; and all those who have not pledged for a contribution should likewise contribute. Every church, every fraternal and civic society of the race, every colored man of means, should feel the obligation to complete this building as soon as possible.

Cites Examples of Generosity.

"Let me mention a couple of cases in which colored men have contributed largely to work of this nature. A colored man, born a slave in Knoxville, was so impressed with the value of the Y. M. C. A. work among white young men that he gave a piece of property costing \$2,000 to the colored Young Men's Christian association. He has the honor of having given the largest gift up to that time of any individual in the state of Tennessee, regardless of color, to the association movement.

"Another colored man, who was born on the gold coast of Africa, came to this country at an early age, was befriended by the Philadelphia Y. M. C. A. and by the use of their library prepared for a competitive examination, entered the university of Pennsylvania after winning the prize, received his education, and is today a very successful physician in the city of Portsmouth, Va., gave \$500 to the building fund of their association a year ago. He also gave \$100 for current expenses the first year the association employed a secretary and says: 'The reason I make these gifts is because I owe all I am to the Young Men's Christian association.'

Work Appeals to Colored Men.

"Many other cases might be cited showing how this work appeals to reputable colored men in many sections of the country. There is possibly nothing needed worse in all our cities and towns than well organized Young Men's Christian associations which shall stand for character building in the three-fold way in which the Y. M. C. A. endeavors to do its work. It pays far better to support the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in a community than to pay the salary of a policeman. Homes are made safe and the community is lifted to a higher level by lifting these young men to better ideals of life.

'All Men Up' the Motto.

"As for the white man, let him remember in this as in all other matters, that to do justice to the colored man is demanded not only by the interest of the colored man but by the interest of the white man also. Sooner or later in this community every class of citizens will feel the effect of the raising or degradation of any other class. 'All men up' is a much safer motto than 'Some men down,' and it is to the interest of every class of any community that the members of every other class shall feel that industry, sobriety, good behavior, the conduct that marks a man as being a good neighbor and a good citizen, should receive a proper reward, so as thereby to put a premium upon the development of such qualities. I am not speaking of social relations; I am speaking of equality of treatment before the law, of equality of opportunity to earn a living, of equality of opportunity to earn the respect that should be accorded to the man who behaves decently, and is a good neighbor and good citizen. There are plenty of difficult problems in this country, plenty of problems requiring infinite patience, forbearance, and good judgment if they are to be dealt with wisely, and which can not by any possibility receive even an approximately complete solution within a short time.

Race Problem Difficult.

What is known as the race problem is one of the most difficult; and it exists in the north as well as in the south. But of one thing we can rest assured, and that is that the only way in which to bring nearer the time when there shall be even an approximately fair solution of the problem is to treat each man on his merits as a man. He should not be treated badly because he happens to be of a given color, nor should he receive immunity for misconduct because he happens to be of a given color. Let us all strive, according to our ability and as far as the conditions will permit, to secure to the man of one color who behaves uprightly and honestly, with drift and with foresight, the same opportunity for reward and for living his life under the protection of the law and without molestation by outsiders, that would be his if he were of another color. The avenues of employment should be open to one as to the other; the protection of the laws should be guaranteed to one as to the other. Each should be given the right to prove by his life and work what his capacities are, and should be judged accordingly. Each is entitled to the reward which he legitimately earns if he behaves well; each should be judged with the same severe impartiality if he behaves ill. The same fair treatment should be accorded both, and every effort made to give equal opportunity to those of equal capacity and character. It is the duty of the white man to see that exact justice is meted out to the colored man, the same justice that he would receive if he were not colored; and upon the colored man is imposed the duty to make himself a useful citizen, to so behave as to win the respect of his

Restorative Treatment for Nervous Men

Undoubtedly the following prescription will work wonders for that great class of men who, through illness or dissipation of their natural strength, find themselves in their second childhood long before the three score and ten allotted to life's enjoyments are reached.

Coming from a source of unquestioned authority on the ailments of men, it is presumed to be infallible, and the profession generally endorse the ingredients as highly efficient in quickly restoring in nervous exhaustion, melancholia and the functions of the body. It is published now with the full authority of the originator for the benefit of the shipwrecked lives that find life not worth the living, and who have been unsuccessfully treated.

First get fifty cents' worth compound fluid balmwort in a one ounce package, and three ounces syrup, sarsaparilla compound; take home, mix and let stand two hours; then get one ounce compound essence cardiol and one ounce tincture cadomene (not cardamon). Mix all in a six or eight ounce bottle, shake well and take one teaspoonful after each meal and one when retiring, followed by a drink of water. It is said by those who have been treated that astonishing nerve power and vigor follow.

By mixing it at home no man need be the wiser as to another's shortcomings, and expensive fees are avoided.

white neighbor. The performance of duty should be the test applied to white man and colored man alike, and each individual should be judged not by the fact of his color, but by the way in which he meets demands of duty; and the first duty which each colored man owes both to himself and his race is to work for the betterment both of himself and his race; for its educational and moral betterment. It is to the great interest of the white people no less than of the colored people that all possible educational facilities should be given the colored people; and it is of even greater interest to both races that the colored man should steadily strive for his own industrial and moral uplift.

Teach by Example.

To teach by preaching is never as good as to teach by example. No words of advice and encouragement on my part can count in any way compared to what has actually been done by those colored men who have shown by their own success in life how a colored man can raise high his standard of good citizenship. It is the colored man himself and no outsider who can do most for the colored race. I want to call your attention and the attention of all who care to listen to me to the noteworthy record of the town of Mound Bayou in Mississippi. I stopped at Mound Bayou a year ago, while going through Mississippi. Twenty years ago the place was all wilderness. Now a thriving and prosperous town has been built, with a thriving and prosperous country round about; and every man in the town, every man in the country round about is a colored man. In the Planters' Journal of Memphis, Tenn., a white man's paper, there is a description in an issue of a couple of years ago of Mound Bayou under the heading of 'The most remarkable town in the south.' This paper describes how the town has been founded, populated and managed purely by men of the negro race. It is a thriving, growing town of 2,000 people. There is not a saloon nor a vicious resort of any kind in the town. There are some 6,000 people on the tract of land of which the town is the center. This tract includes about forty square miles, all of it owned by the colored people themselves. Ten thousand acres of land are in a high state of cultivation. There is a big cotton crop, and in addition the colony produces four-fifths of the corn and hay it needs, with many hundreds of horses, mules, cattle and hogs. In the town itself there are six churches and three schools. There is a bank with a capital stock of \$10,000, which does a thriving business. The assessed value of the land in the town itself is nearly \$25,000. There are sawmills, gins, blacksmith shops,

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LA CROSSE, WIS.

YALE'S FAMOUS FULLBACK, WHO UNDOUBTEDLY WILL BE CHOSEN CAPTAIN OF NEXT YEAR'S FOOTBALL TEAM



NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 26.—All signs point to the selection of Coy, the famous fullback, who has been the star of the Yale team during the season, as captain of next year's team. Coy is an all-around player, one of the best punters on the gridiron and is thoroughly liked by his team mates.

NEW BOOK HITS IMMORAL RICH

The reader who desires a modern novel replete with incident, with characters possessing vitality, with situations vivid and a purpose up-to-date, will find in "By Law of Might" a story which fulfills in a large measure these essential demands. It has, besides, a distinctive style, and though at intervals a trifle prolix, abounds in dramatic situations and terse epigrams. It is a book in which probably very few readers will be disappointed, as unfortunately with so much fiction nowadays.

The vigorous motif, trita muni does certain phases of the sex question under present conditions, and handling that problem without gloves though with veiled satire. The modern free-love theories, raised at once from the realms of the commonplace novel, of which the public is so inebriably weary. At the same time the true story-teller's instinct, surrounding a plot, has sufficed to warn the author from the pitfall of over-emphasizing the problem and minimizing the story.

The dollar mark and the scarlet letter are inseparably linked in its daring expose of Wall street and high life's marital infidelities, yet the story is told with due regard for decency and without the filth which clings to books of a certain stamp. Though full of action where interest never flags, it is a novel that makes one think, and that one should be better, not worse, for having read.

Perhaps the most striking characteristic of "By Law of Might" is its provocativeness. It is one of those books which, having perused, the reader is fain to mentally enquire whether it is a really great novel or mere lurid melodrama, and to ask his or her friends whether they have seen it, because of the many topics the story brings up for discussion. It is a work sure to be talked about.

"By Law of Might" is published at \$1.50 by H. A. Simons & Co., of New York.

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Miss Milley Temp held the lucky number which won the quilt raffled by the Mayflower Camp in Linker hall last night. An apron sale was a success.

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FALL FROM TRESTLE FATAL FOR BOY

KENOSHA, Wis., Nov. 26.—Martin Richards, familiarly known as "Brownie," who had been a ward of prominent people in Kenosha for several years, was killed at Deer Creek near Marion, Ind., last night. He had been attending a theatre and was walking over a trestle when an interurban car passed. John Reidenbach, a former Kenosha man who was with Richards, hung over the trestle and managed to save his life, but young Richards was unable to hold on and fell to the bed of the creek, fracturing his skull.



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PUBLIC OPINION FORBIDS

But Statement that Magna Charta Is a Catholic Origin Is Challenged

Rev. N. C. Moller, of Christ Episcopal church, has filed what in law might be called a "cross bill" in the case of Theodore Roosevelt, accused by utterances of promoting dangerous doctrine lending too much opportunity to impose upon the country the idea of temporal power in Catholicism, and defended by Catholic authority for his stand that religious conviction could in no case be permitted to prejudice a man's rights as a citizen, one of which is office holding, as in the case of President-elect Taft, who is made the "goat" of the controversy.

The Lutheran view, adversely criticizing the president, was enunciated by Rev. J. J. Clemens, president of the Pastors' union. Reply was made thereto by Father H. J. Rapp, who quoted Burke Cochrane's recent address before the Catholic Missionary congress. Rev. Moller takes a middle ground, and indulges in moderate criticism of the assertion of both Rev. Clemens and Father Rapp. His faith is that public opinion is an absolute safeguard against a union of church and state in America, but he challenges Burke Cochrane's assertion that the Magna Charta was of Catholic origin. Rev. Moller's "interplea" follows:

"A friendly criticism of the sermons by Rev. J. J. Clemens and the Rev. Father J. H. Rapp occasioned by the famous 'bigotry letter' of President Roosevelt.

"Ecclesiastical history, that is really authentic or reliable, shows very plainly and positively the rise and the decline and fall of the domination of the church over the state, covering a period of some five hundred years. Today the claim of temporal power of any church in Christendom is backed only by an insignificant remnant of former power and this remnant of authority is growing steadily more feeble. Contemporary history in Italy and France and the tendency of popular opinion in Spain is sufficient proof. In this country there has never been the slightest danger of religion dominating the political party in power. Public opinion is so positive in its opposition to any branch of the church or any religious association interfering with politics, that it seems almost absurd to think of any danger to the nation from this source. The republic is built upon the foundation of civil and religious liberty, and this foundation, please God, is to last for all time. The history of Roman Catholics who have rendered service to this country is the history of men who have been true to the principles of civil and religious freedom. A man would be most narrow and bigoted who did not recognize the fact that thousands of men who have been Roman Catholic by birth and conviction, have also been loyal Americans, and many of them have their names writ large in the scroll of fame and the legion of honor in our nation's history as brave soldiers, loyal citizens, and promoters of moral progress. A church or a people should be judged by its best and not its worst representatives. The question of whether a Roman Catholic ever will become president of this republic, the future will decide, but I have every confidence that when the matter is presented for the decision of the people of this great nation, it will result in the answer that will in no wise compromise the safety of the republic or the principles of our constitution.

Regrets the Controversy.
"I take the liberty of saying that I believe that it is to be regretted that President Roosevelt's letter has been made the subject of public controversy. The president of this United States would be the last man to advocate anything that was detrimental to the nation's welfare or influence the violation of constitutional principles. His defense of a friend and fellow partisan should not be misunderstood and he should be given the advantage of every doubt. "I trust I will not be guilty of prolonging this controversy if I take up one or two points at issue, and try to present in the interest of a fair judgment a side of the question that is rarely given just consideration.

About Magna Charta.
"If I may be granted further space I would like to question the statements of Father J. H. Rapp in his quotation from the Hon. Burke Cochrane's defense. He is declared to have said, 'Do the reverend Lutheran gentlemen realize where we find the political germ of the constitution? We find it in the Magna Charta. Do the reverend gentlemen know that the Magna Charta was wrested from his lawful sovereign by the Catholic prelate at the head of rebellious barons. Do they know further that the Magna Charta was but the confirmation of ancient statutes and laws? Those statutes and laws? Those of good King Edward. Do they know that that king, Edward the Confessor, is a canonized saint of the Catholic church? Where do we get our great system of equity law? It was from the interference of the church in the affairs of the state."

"Here is a matter of interpretation of history, of which the Roman Catholic and the public generally, knows only one side or is ignorant of either side of the question. How can one judge of the merits of the case unless the claims of both parties are heard and considered? My criticism is most friendly, but it is an appeal that the statement of the other party in the controversy, the Church of England, be heard."

Let us take a hasty glance at the records that England can show in her own history of the Magna Charta and listen respectfully to the story in her own defense.

Not Edward's Work.
"Mr. Cochrane mentions Edward the Confessor in his claims regarding the history of the Magna Charta. Who was Edward the Confessor? He was an Englishman by the accident of his birth, but was thoroughly Norman in his tastes and habits. Having spent seven years in Normandy he had lost all sympathy with the English people, and introduced into England Norman habits, appointing Normans to high places in church and state. He did his best to destroy the national church by placing foreigners over it. French was spoken everywhere and became the language of the court and the pulpit in spite of the continued protests of the Anglo-Saxon nation. Edward the Confessor was in no sense an administrator, although he was a man of so many virtues, of simple piety and gentleness, the builder of the great Westminster Abbey and so interested in promoting his ideas of religious life, that the people were ordinarily blind to his faults as a king. He led the way to the Norman conquest and the great controversy between the rights of the king, the pope and the people, the great struggle between church and state which lasted until the time of the reformation. He cannot be considered in the light of true history as a founder of the rights of the people of the Anglo-Saxon race. But the laws promulgated during the time of Edward the Confessor and Henry I, have been regarded with the Magna Charta as the palladium of English liberty, not mark you, are they in anywise documents establishing the temporal power of the church of Rome over England, but to protect the nation and church of England, from the domination of such power. In these documents the king is called vicarius Summi Regis (The vicar of God). The Magna Charta declared that God's church was free ("Sanctum Dei ecclesiam imprimis liberam facie"). The Magna Charta was the result of the effort of the people of England in their rebellion against the aggressions of both pope and king.

Pope Oppose It.
"What is the record of the attitude of the pope toward this charter of liberty? The pope called the charter a base and unlawful composition and of no value. (Compositio villis merito ob emibibus reprobanda.) (Wendover 328.) He asked, 'Is it true? Do these barons mean to depose their king who has taken the cross and is under the protection of the Holy See? Do these barons dare to transfer the patrimony of the church of Rome?' By St. Peter we will not permit this outrage to go unpunished. The infallible pope had spoken and he took upon himself to annul the law of England, the great Magna Charta. On August 24th, the pope issued a bull, in which, after declaring that England was a fief of Rome, he claimed that the king had no power to act without the pope, that the conduct of the barons was a piece of audacious wickedness and contempt of the Holy See, he sent commissioners into England to annul the Magna Charta, forbade the king to observe it, and placed the same injunction upon the barons. The barons treated the bull with contempt. Mr. Cochrane speaks of the Catholic prelate at the head of the barons as one of the leaders in the establishment of the Magna Charta and it is true, but what were his relations to the pope? He was a rebellious Catholic prelate. History records that the pope was especially wrathful against him not only on account of the support that he gave the barons, but also for his opposition to his legate, Nicolas. Archbishop Langton refused to execute the bull, and was in consequence suspended, and the suspension was confirmed by the pope at the Lateran Council A. D. 1215. At the news of the death of Pope Innocent III, which occurred on July 16, 1216, there was a general thanksgiving in England because of the aggressions and calamities which he had inflicted upon the church and country, and because he was the enemy of the Magna Charta.

"This is only a plain statement of fact in history as recorded in the annals of the history of the Church in England, and but a part of the evidence of the united voice of clergy, barons and people against the intrusion of a foreign ecclesiastical authority into England's church and state."

"I write these facts, not to arouse any bitterness or controversy from either Lutheran or Roman Catholic friends, but because it is only fair that both sides of these great historical questions should be considered."

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When I state that history does not reveal any advantage in the domination of the church's temporal power, but exactly the contrary. A sublime theory of ecclesiastical power "winning the kingdoms of this world to become the kingdoms of our Lord and His Christ" have been heard over and over again, but the method that is most conspicuous in history, with all its temporary advantages, and seen from the best point of view, is nevertheless a practical failure and has written against it not one great achievement for human liberty. The common accusation against the Church of England concerning the disadvantages arising from the state interfering with the church, has nevertheless not hindered the state and Church of England from being in the forefront of civilization's great advance, in the promotion of civil and religious liberty."

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STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

BELOIT.—Mr. and Mrs. Moses Reitter will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary tomorrow in a reunion. He was an early day merchant, and is now retired.

BELOIT.—Chief of Police Rhoda Scheibel tendered his resignation. He has been chief six years and a city policeman fourteen years.

CLYMAN.—Last night the Catholic church and parish residence east of the village was destroyed by fire. The former was the first to burn, and two hours later the residence. This property has not been used for three years, the congregation having built a church in this village. The loss was \$3,000.

MANITOWOC.—Two boys named Witt and Thompson. Two Rivers, have been missing for one week. Fired by the tales of deer hunting, they left their homes armed with revolvers, rifles and ammunition. They were seen at Maribel, and just as they were about to be captured they jumped through a window.

NENOSHA.—Chicago capitalists who have been projecting an electric railway from Nenosha to Lake Geneva announced that the deal is off because farmers demanded \$80,000 for a right of way. The line would have been about forty miles long.

APPLETON.—Lawrence university students have voted to adopt the honorary examination system.

JANESVILLE.—At the Southern Wisconsin Business college on Friday the Wisconsin Commercial Educators' association will open its annual two days' session.

MANITOWOC.—Sexton Schroeder is the latest victim of smallpox. His house and two others have been placed under quarantine. There are thirty cases of the disease now in the city.

NEENAH.—Workmen have been employed during the last few weeks making repairs at Waverly beach in anticipation of a busy summer resort season next year.

RACINE.—That the Racine Business Men's association will soon be a memory was indicated when the proposition to merge with the Racine club was favorably received.

WAUSAU.—G. C. Crippen, the new minister of the First Baptist church, who was called here a couple of months ago, will be ordained into the ministry on Dec. 7.

It is all right to be economical, but the trouble with some people is that they carry economy so far they look like a cold potato.

WISCONSIN NEWS

BOAT ON FIRE
CREW ESCAPES

ALL ATTEMPTS TO EXTINGUISH FLAMES FUTILE

MATE PROVES A HERO

Pacified Men by Talks But Entire Crew Is Finally Forced to Life Boats

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 26.—"Aw, g'wan. We were almost able to jump ashore. There wasn't anything to it."

Frank Bruce, mate of the steamer Pascall P. Pratt, is a stoic. Waked up from slumber in the lake off the Canadian shore by a wild alarm of "fire," he donned his clothes, gathered his effects and with the rest of the crew calmly waited his turn for entrance to the lifeboat, so that he might be taken to shore and safety.

The Pratt caught fire somewhere between the boilers and the engine in a manner that has not yet been accounted for. Smoke, flames, threatening, stifling, spread so swiftly that but for the coolness of the captain the horror of it might have sent the crew in a panic. The flames could not be kept down.

Choking, gasping, perspiring, the firemen, engineers and crew rushed from the hold to find that the vessel was only a mile from shore.

"There isn't any life-saving crew up in that part of Canada," said Mr. Bruce this morning, as he stood calmly discussing home affairs with companions in the Hotel Florida on the South side, "so we just got into the boat and got onto dry land. We weren't in any great danger."

The boat was bound for Milwaukee with a load of coal which was to have been retained to keep her deep in the water for wintering there.

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JAIL PRISONERS SHRIFF'S GUESTS

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Nov. 26.—Thomas Prosser, alias James Ludford, who forged a check and passed it at Culver's shoe store in this city, and who led the police and sheriff a merry chase overland to Altoona, where he was caught as he was about to catch a train, was sentenced to two years at Waupun by Judge O'Neill for his crime. However, Prosser will not be going to prison for a few days, as he will remain here to partake of a big turkey dinner which Sheriff Mort McMillan will give the county jail prisoners on Thanksgiving day in honor of his retirement from the office, which he has held for two terms.

TWO HUNTERS DROWN IN RIVER

NEW RICHMOND, Wis., Nov. 26.—Albert Sagan and Magnus Markenson, two hunters hailing from Deer Park, Wis., twelve miles north of here, were drowned in the river near Ely, Minn. The remains have not yet been recovered, but will be taken to Deer Park for burial. Both men were married and are survived by large families.

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Sleep is nature's rebuilding period, when the energy used by the brain, muscles and organs is renewed. If you lose sleep, your system is robbed of the strength sleep should give. Continued loss of sleep multiplies this loss until you become a physical wreck. Dr. Miles' Nervine quiets the irritated nerves and brings refreshing, invigorating sleep. Nervine contains no opiates, and therefore leaves no bad after-effects.

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ROBBERS IN GUISE OF DEER HUNTERS

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Nov. 26.—Four robbers blew open the vault in the bank at Holcombe, obtaining \$210, a diamond ring and a silver watch.

The telephone operator heard the explosion and aroused the citizens, who frightened away the burglars before they could break into the small safe which contained \$3,000.

The bandits stole a handcar at Jim Falls and went to Hannibal. From there they struck into the woods, where they are now believed to be masquerading as deer hunters.

Shot By Unknown.
CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Nov. 26.—Edward Elseth was killed by a stray bullet, fired by an unknown

man in the woods near Park Falls. He was working for a lumber company at the time he was shot. His father brought the body here on his way to Menomonie.

WIS. VILLAGE BURNS.

CEDARBURG, Wis., Nov. 26.—Fire caused a loss of \$7,500 to the Cedarburg Foundry company, covered by \$3,000 insurance. All efforts to save the plant were unavailing and two adjoining residences which were threatened were only saved by the work of a hastily organized bucket brigade. The plant will be rebuilt on a larger scale and the work of rebuilding will begin at once. The fire started in the tar room.

When a child shows you its bank you know what that means.



THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

"Let us learn again the lesson which some forget, that in law is our surest hope, and that only in obedience to its eternal commands can we live in social order."

Governor Malcolm P. Patterson of Tennessee, at left. The Night Riders' mask worn at the Hanging of Captain Rankin by the Night Riders. Law and order must prevail in Tennessee.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 23.—The Thanksgiving proclamation of Governor Patterson dwells considerably on the regrettable depredations of the night riders. During the past year this commonwealth has been in the throes of a civil strife worse than anything since the civil war. Section against section, man against man, the whole state has been torn asunder.

Governor Patterson has used every influence to suppress the riotous outbreaks of the night riders, who have caused great loss of life and property in Tennessee. The governor's proclamation is so tinged with regret that in spite of his great effort to be thankful for the many blessings of prosperity and life it still has a shadow of sorrow such as have Thanksgiving proclamations seldom shown.

The part which dwells with the troubles with the night riders is worded as follows:

"But in the midst of our prosperity there are clouds which darken the sky and cast their shadows athwart our paths. Let us hope that these will presently pass away, and that the same Divine hand which gathered the will scatter them again, and the warning has been taken, and all our people learn again the lesson which some forget, that in law is our surest hope and that only in obedience to its

eternal commands can we live in social order, enduring peace, and fulfill the high mission of civilized life.

"Let us live that good will and gentle peace may come down from heaven to bless us all, that justice shall reign among us, that we be saved from intolerance, dissensions and suspicion and from the evils which flow therefrom to vex the state and divide the people.

"Let us pray that mercy will bring her balm of healing, and bind up the wounds of bleeding hearts wherever they may be, that innocence will not suffer, that our land be washed of bloody stains, that we may have faith and hope and charity and not forget the gentle son of God taught that charity is the greatest of these."

In the prosecution of the night riders by the grand jury startling surprises are found at almost every session. Prominent farmers who are highly respected in the community have been implicated with the night rider organization. Indictments will soon be out against these and more trouble is looked for at that time.

The mask of the night riders at the hanging of Captain Rankin has been produced before the grand jury as evidence. It is ghastly in design, black in color and completely covers the face.